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GERMAN COUNTER DRIVE COLLAPSES

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, Dec. 5.—Prince Rupprecht's counter drive against the British, in an effort to wipe out the Cambrai salient, has collapsed. Dispatches from the front today stated that the British looked for more attacks, but were confident that the Germans would not renew their thrusts in force as they did on Saturday and Sunday when waves of fifteen ranks of troops swept against the British positions between Moeuvres and Vendhuile.

All of the main British positions in the hold and daring drive launched by General Sir Julian Byng on November 20 have been consolidated and there is no possibility that the Germans will be able to recapture them although they are keeping the British trench lines under hot artillery fire.

The battle of Cambrai has not yet come to an end, however. British aviators reported the concentration of fresh German divisions behind the German front and further pressure against both flanks of the salient is in prospect.

Lurid pictures of the savage fighting around Bourlon, Maroing and Laquerie are coming from the front. One told of a tank that was overturned in a shell crater, but was converted into a temporary block-house and the soldiers in it fought bravely although it was continuously shelled by German field guns.

Other stories dealt with the heroic conduct of the American engineers who helped the British repulse the German attacks last Friday and Saturday. The Americans are winning high praise, not only on the Cambrai front, but elsewhere. They have worked gallantly on the British lines of communication immediately behind the front, refusing to abandon their posts no matter how hot the shell fire from German guns. Much responsibility depends upon the success of the engineers for they must see to it that the troops on the firing line are kept supplied with ammunition and provisions.

The field over which the fighting has taken place northwest and southwest of Cambrai presents a terrible scene of desolation and death. The villages of Bourlon, Moeuvres, Fontaine Notre Dame, Maroing, Gonnelle, Laquerie, Mastieres, Vendhuile, Villers Guislain and others are only masses of ruins, amongst which lie uncounted bodies of British and German soldiers. Wrecked guns, broken rifles and cast-off equipment are strewn all about the zone.

CONGRESS OPPOSES SINGLE COMMITTEE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 5.—President Wilson will not be able to get legislation for a single house committee on appropriations without a bitter struggle. This is the one recommendation of Mr. Wilson's annual message which has aroused immediate opposition. This opposition comes from both Democrats and Republicans in the House.

"I beg that the members of the House," said the president, "will permit me to express the opinion that it will be impossible to deal in any but a very wasteful and extravagant fashion with the enormous appropriations of the public money which must continue to be made, if the war is to be properly sustained, unless the House will consent to return to its former practice of initiating and preparing all appropriation bills through a single committee, in order that responsibility may be centered, expenditures standardized and made uniform and waste and duplication as much as possible avoided."

There has been long standing friction between the house appropriations committee and the several other committees of the lower branch of Congress over the question of jurisdiction. The other committee chairmen have continually fought what they declared was the tendency of the appropriations committee to usurp functions properly reserved to them.

"I am thoroughly opposed to the creation of any such powerful colossus as that proposed by the president," said the chairman of one of the big House committees today. This member, one of the House leaders, and usually a supporter of Mr. Wilson's policies, predicted the defeat of the proposal. He declared it was sure to meet with opposition from half a dozen of the big committees of the House such as military affairs, naval affairs, agriculture, rivers and harbors, and Indian affairs.

The Republicans declare that the proposal is another executive encroachment upon the legislative branch of the government. They are outspoken in declaring that the organization of the machinery through which either House of Congress works is no concern of the White House.

A "Polio" Clinic.

A clinic for the after-care of infantile paralysis cases will be held Tuesday, December 11, in Snyder House Company's rooms, Sagerties, from 2 p. m. until 5 p. m.

U-BOAT CAPTURED BY U. S. DESTROYER

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

An Atlantic Port, Dec. 5.—Details of the capture of a German U-boat by an American torpedo boat destroyer off Queenstown on November 17 were told today by members of a Belgian steamship crew who arrived from a European port.

The destroyer was conveying the Belgian steamship through the danger zone when the submarine came to the surface between the two vessels. The submarine was evidently on the verge of discharging a torpedo when sighted.

As the destroyer turned to give battle, the submarine submerged. A depth bomb was dropped. It evidently reached its mark as the submarine immediately came to the surface and surrendered.

As the steamship continued on its course the crew saw the members of the submarine crew lined up on the deck with hands held high in the air in token of surrender. The lifeboat crew then put out to take charge of the captives.

ALLIES APPROVE WILSON'S MESSAGE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

London, Dec. 5.—President Wilson's demand upon the American congress for a declaration of war against Austria Hungary caused a wave of rejoicing throughout every Allied country in Europe today.

It is believed that the American executive's action will be of big aid to the Entente in two directions:

First, it will increase the depression and pessimism that already reigns in the Dual Monarchy;

Second, it will enable the United States to send troops into other fields of action besides France and will enable the Allies to carry out their new policy of absolute unity and co-ordination without obstacles.

The president's message was heartily received in London, Paris and Rome and newspaper comment upon it is of the most favorable character.

The firm, strong tone of the message and the declaration that America is in the war with all her men and all her resources until it is won have given fresh confidence to the Allies.

And it will have a decided effect upon the German people if published in German newspapers in its entirety was accepted as a foregone conclusion.

LITTLE JIG DANCER GIVEN A CHANCE

Theodore Smith, 10 Years Old, Who Stole \$50 From Chef of Steamer Poughkeepsie, Pleads Guilty and Is Placed on Probation.

Theodore Smith, the 10 years old negro jig dancer residing down town, who was arrested Sunday afternoon by Sergeant Phinney on a charge of stealing a pocketbook containing \$50, the property of L. E. Ewing, chef on the steamer Poughkeepsie, of the Central-Hudson Line, was given a chance to make a man of himself this morning by Recorder Lang when the case came up for a hearing.

Theodore was in the same room on the boat with the chef Sunday and while the chef was changing his clothes his pocketbook dropped to the floor. Shortly afterward pocketbook and Smith had disappeared. The chef reported the robbery to the police headquarters and Sergeant Phinney learning that the boy was on a trolley car bound uptown jumped in the police auto and gave chase, overhauling the trolley uptown and taking young Smith with him back to headquarters.

Monday the case was adjourned until this morning so the boy's father could be in court. Theodore is the oldest of six children and his parents are well known and respectable colored people.

Recorder Lang informed the boy's father that he did not care to send his son away but would give him a chance to make good and placed him on probation, to report weekly to Probation Officer Weidemann.

Of the \$50 Sergeant Phinney, when he searched Smith at the time he was turned over to Mr. Ewing today, the boy's father will make up the difference, paying Mr. Ewing the amount spent by the boy.

Had Fractured Ankle.

Thomas Fabiszak of 134 Fourth avenue sustained a fractured ankle late Tuesday afternoon when he was hit in the leg with a railroad tie. He was removed to the Kingston City Hospital in the ambulance, where he was attended by Dr. Stern and later removed to his home. He is a laborer employed on the West Shore.

High Price of Living.

Notice has been received by the Dutchess County Board of Supervisors that hereafter Albany county will charge Dutchess county \$4 a week for caring for Dutchess county prisoners.

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION RECOMMENDS THAT GOVERNMENT SEIZE AND OPERATE RAILROADS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The Interstate Commerce Commission this afternoon recommended the seizure of all the railroads of the country by the government as a war measure.

The recommendation that the roads be taken over was contained in a special communication to Congress.

It is absolutely necessary, the commission's report says, that the railroads of the country be operated as a unit. One proposal is that the railroads themselves might pool their interests and operate them as a unit. But the real proposal of the commission is that the carriers be operated as one road by President Wilson.

The commission's report says it follows that the government must finance the railroads and extricate them from their present entanglements. It adds it will be necessary, whatever course is taken by Congress, that the Government regulate issues of securities.

In the event of the seizure taking place, the commission affirms that the government should take steps to guarantee proper returns to all investors on all present outstanding stocks and bonds of the roads.

It had been rumored about Washington that the commission would hand down a decision this afternoon in the freight rate increase case and the communication, when it was made public, came as a distinct surprise.

For many weeks government ownership and operation of the carriers has been talked of but none supposed the commission was ready to recommend such action. The latter followed close upon the introduction of a resolution in the House by Representative Sabath of Illinois that proposed that the government take over not only the operation of the railroads but of coal mines as well.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The American railroad system must be conscripted. This is the verdict of the Interstate Commerce Commission and that body's answer to the railroads petition for a general advance of fifteen per cent in freight rates.

In a special communication transmitted to the Congress today, the commission declares that one of two things must be done to put American railroads on an operating basis that will expedite the winning of the war.

First—The pooling of every railroad in the country into one mammoth system, to be operated under the direction of some central body to be designated by Congress, and the temporary suspension of anti-trust laws now prohibiting such mergers.

Second—The taking over of the entire American railroad system by the president and its operation as a war measure.

Speedy action is demanded by the commission. This is no time for "temporizing," the letter states. Commissioner McChord, who has had charge of the car shortage investigation and has worked with the railroads war board, dissents from the majority of the commission as to that portion of its recommendations which would permit the railroads to form their own operating pool. His experience has demonstrated, he says, that the government must take absolute control as no voluntary committee of the railroads will work harmoniously and effectively.

In view of the letter of the commission, the railroads may expect no increase in railroad rates in response to their petition for a general advance. The letter makes it clear that the commission has concluded that the time has come to put a stop to the "circular drive" of increases whereby in the past wage increases had been followed by rate increases and rate increases again followed by further wage increases.

mission also points out that the cost of living is so high and the government's own demands for money so great that the public could not find spare cash to put into railroad securities, no matter how good their credit might be. Furthermore, it states that the railroads cannot now make further improvements in tracks, yards and terminals because labor is fully employed at present and it is impossible to obtain new cars, new steel supplies or any new equipment. In short, the commission says that if the railroads had today unlimited cash they would be like the man who starved to death on the mountain of gold because their cash would buy them nothing.

Accordingly, centralizing of all railroads, either by a pool of their own or by the federal government, is the only expedient. In one great system the roads could rearrange priorities, could readjust routing, could revise their own ordering in such a way that production of essentials could be greatly increased.

The commission says that in addition to pooling and operating under one head, it will be imperative that the railroads be granted substantial credits out of the federal treasury. Should the government take over the entire American railroad system, the vested interests of individual owners of railroad securities would be protected by provision for the guarantee of payment of interest and dividends, the commission says.

The commission's letter reviews the history of American railroading and points out that the European war has made it imperative to completely reverse the theory of regulation. In the past, it is pointed out, all legislation, both state and federal, has been directed to the fostering of keen competition and the prevention of just such pooling as now is recommended. This reversal of policy must be accompanied by appropriate legislation which will prevent the punishments of the existing anti-trust laws from falling upon the railroads. A suspension of these laws must be arranged.

It is made plain by the commission that its recommendation is distinctly a war measure. It is stated clearly that the vital industries of the country, engaged in turning out the munitions of war are wholly dependent upon the railroads. For that reason nothing must be left undone which would increase the efficiency of the railroad machinery.

In his dissenting memorandum, Commissioner McChord says that if the president, under the powers given him in the act of April 29, 1915, does not see fit to take over and operate the railroads, congress should, on its own initiative, enact legislation creating some central body to administer the railroad lines, at least for the period of the war.

In justification of its revolutionary recommendation, the commission says: "Since the outbreak of the war in Europe and especially since this country was drawn into that war, it has become increasingly clear that unification in the operation of our railroads during the period of conflict is indispensable to their fullest utilization for the national defense and welfare. They must be drawn, like the individual, from the pursuits of peace and mobilized to win the war."

The commission emphasizes that the recommendation is made necessary by the war and that it would not for a lesser reason propose the overturning of the elaborate structure of law and operating practice which for a quarter of a century and more has directed that the opposite policy be pursued.

The element of time is given great importance by the commission and for that reason speedy action by congress may be expected.

The rights and interests of shippers would not be prejudiced by the proposed action, the commission says. While there would be a complete readjustment of the entire transportation system with the establishment of new routes and terminals and other changes of importance, the federal government would see to it that no discriminations should be worked upon the shipper to his prejudice. However, it is made clear in the letter that under the new regulation, the railroad system would be used first for war business and that all non-essential shipment would have to wait its turn.

In view of the fact that the railroads war board, the car service commission, the national industrial traffic league and other voluntary committees have for a year been working at Washington to put the railroad system on a more efficient basis and have not succeeded to such an extent as to make further action necessary, it may be expected that the alternative of the commission—absolute government seizure—will be adopted.

Meeting of W. C. T. U.

The Kingston W. C. T. U. will hold its regular meeting Thursday at 2:30 p. m. in the parlors of St. James's M. E. Church. The Rev. P. N. Chase will be present and make a few remarks. Visitors welcome.

WAR AT A GLANCE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Three persons were wounded when German airmen raided Nancy last night, the war office announced today.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Furious artillery duels are raging on the Verdun front, but only raiding activities were reported elsewhere by the French war office today. East of Rheims, in Champagne, and north of the Aisne river, around Craonne, German raids were repulsed.

London, Dec. 5.—Open boats, carrying women and children, were fired upon by a German submarine which had sunk the British steamship, Apapa, with heavy loss of life, according to details received here today. From 70 to 100 persons are reported missing. The Apapa was attacked and torpedoed and when the passengers took to the lifeboats the U-boat opened fire upon them.

London, Dec. 5.—A hull has settled down in the infantry fighting along the entire British front. The only activity during the night consisted of cannonading, the war office reported at noon.

Washington, Dec. 5.—American destroyers soon will be operating in the Mediterranean. A high naval official made this admission today when he said: "United States destroyers are or soon will be everywhere that enemy submarines are at work."

GERMANS CAPTURE AMERICAN TROOPS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Paris, Dec. 5.—Americans were among the prisoners captured by the Germans on the Cambrai front, according to information reaching here today.

News that Americans had fought with the British southwest of Cambrai had already been received here, but it was not known that the American losses included any prisoners. The Americans, along with their fellow British fighters were taken by surprise when the Germans broke through, but fought gallantly and helped stem the onrush.

Previous dispatches had told of American engineers who were working on lines of communication behind the British front when the Germans advanced. They threw down their picks and shovels, grabbed up rifles and took their place in the British ranks.

TEN LEAVE TO ENTER THE SERVICE

In charge of Postmaster William C. DeWitt, ten young men from this city and county went to Poughkeepsie, on the noon train today to confer with Major Greene, of the Army, and Ensign Reilly, of the Navy, on further information regarding enlistments in the army, navy and air service.

The young men from this city desiring to become soldiers in the army were: Joseph Rothery, Harry Sills, James Kearney, Theodore Lord and Max Yallum, and those hoping to be accepted as sailors on one of Uncle Sam's demons of the seas were: Le Monte V. Simpkins of Woodstock, son of ex-Superintendent Eltinge L. Simpkins, and Albert Hasselman of this city. The air service appealed to Joseph S. Yonkers, Joseph J. Gleason and Charles Roach of this city, and they also accompanied the boys to secure information concerning this branch of service.

Kenneth Archer, who recently applied for enlistment in the Quartermasters Corps and has been examined, accepted an invitation from Mr. DeWitt to accompany the young men, and furnish references if required.

All of these Kingston boys left town with the expectations of being accepted and returning home on furloughs fully attired in uniforms.

Champion Bear Hunter.

Glaude Yerry of Woodstock shot five bears, two old ones and three cubs, on Monday at Woodland valley. This makes six bears that Mr. Yerry has shot this season.

HUMORS AND RUMORS OF LIFE IN CAMP

The Funny Fat Fairy Who is Not a Grafter—Nobodies Could be so Drunk—When the Clothespin Was Found Useful.

Same Place, Sunday, Nov. 4.—We have adopted as our official song, "We're here because we're here." That exactly states the case, and I may say that we are getting tired of it. We want to change that song for "I don't know where I'm going, but I'm on my way." Anything to get action of some kind, to seem to be getting somewhere where there is something useful to do. If we were getting any training we wouldn't care, for we need the training badly enough. But since we came here we have had nothing but guard duty and loafing. They told me I would be in the Q. M. department, but whether to hustle bales of goods around, drive mules or run a Ford was not stated and I've been guessing ever since. The only clue was that my examination was a try-out on a typewriter, which made it look as though I had to be some kind of a clerk in order to be sent to France. Since coming here they have told us we were all Q. M. clerks, whatever that is. We don't know and there is nobody here to tell us. I hope they don't send us to any place in France where there are many cows—we're so green the cows might bite us, thinking we were some new kind of grass. When I went up to division headquarters at Camp Dix I thought I was to go over as an engineer and would land where there would be something doing every minute. Now I'm to be a dry goods or clothing store clerk, which may be safer and just as useful, but not half so exciting.

Why They Were Sure.

This may be my last letter you will receive for a month or six weeks, for we are having another rumor of quick sailing. That is nothing new, as you know. We've had them before, had inspections and final supplies issued and all that and celebrated the promised sailing with great noise. And then remained right here. One time we were very sure we were going. Whether somebody played a joke on our cook, or the cook played a joke on the company, or it was just an accident I don't know, but one day a few hours after dinner every one of us had evidence that something had happened. As some of us who were posted knew that the effect was just what an experienced ship's doctor would recommend for a sea voyage, to prevent seasickness, we were sure that the medicine had been given in our coffee, so each man would be sure to get a dose, and that we were going to embark right away. Well, we didn't embark, though no doubt the treatment left us in fine shape to withstand seasickness.

Queer Characters.

With no work to do, this camp develops all kinds of queer characters. There is the fellow who if he were a sailor would be called a sea lawyer. He is always looking for legal quibbles. His latest is to talk about seeing a lawyer to have his contract to buy Liberty Bonds cancelled because he will "owe the government." He read of some society that gives free legal services to soldiers and wanted to give them something to do. Since he was taken out and tossed up in a blanket a few times by fellows who got tired of hearing his grumbling, he has subsided.

The Funny Fat Fairy.

Then there is a fat fellow who is the exact opposite. I hope he goes with us, for he will sure keep away the blues. Anyone who just saw him performing for the first time would think he was all d. f. While most of us were playing cards (with the Ulster county comfort kit packs) this chap was giving an exhibition all by his lonesome of athletics and tumbling. We didn't pay any attention till we heard a lot of puffing and grunting and then we looked around and found that while he was trying to do a flip-flop on one of the cots he had sort of caught on the center and couldn't make it. His feet were in the air and he couldn't complete the flop. He surely was a funny sight. Next, without the slightest provocation, he dances out on the middle of the floor and begins to dance and sing "I'm a fairy, I'm a fairy." And he is fatter than Heine, the Freeman office giant. Think of Heine's offering "I'm a fairy!"

Suppose He Were a Grafter.

But this chap has other uses than making fun for us. He keeps tabs in the papers on all the knitting and sewing clubs over in the city and every time he has a pass he comes in with a load of stuff he has got from some society of "Slater Sues." The other day he came in with all the socks he could carry. But he always distributes the stuff to those who need it, so it works out all right. But suppose he was a grafter? And how do the people he gets the things from know he is not a grafter? I know I had a chance to buy a sweater for 50 cents from a man who had a pass and a thirst but no money. I needed a sweater all right, but I didn't buy.

Too Real to Be True.

One of the funniest things I ever saw was three drunks getting past the guard. It was something on the principle of that O. Henry story about the Man From Ulster County who was such an outrageous blackguard.

CHILD SETS FIRE TO HER SISTER

Ignited Stick of Wood in Stove and Applied it to Clothing—24 Hours Without Medical Attention—A Samsonville Tragedy.

After suffering untold agony for twenty-four hours without medical attention little Sadie Miller, 8 years old, of Samsonville, was brought to the Kingston City Hospital this morning horribly burned about the face and body and with but small chance for recovery.

From the story as learned by the hospital authorities the Millers reside at Samsonville. Tuesday noon while the mother was out in the barn a smaller child lighted a piece of wood in the kitchen stove and when it was blazing brightly touched the clothing of her sister, Sadie. In an instant the child's clothing was afire and her screams brought the mother running to the house.

In extinguishing the flames the mother was badly burned about the hands.

It was not until Letter Carrier Geary was passing the house later that the tragedy became known and Mr. Geary immediately made arrangements and early this morning his mother brought the little child to Kingston on the O. & W. train, where it was met by the city ambulance and conveyed to the hospital where Sadie was attended by Dr. A. A. Stern, who did everything possible to relieve her sufferings.

WETS GAIN IN MASSACHUSETTS

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Boston, Dec. 5.—The temperance forces were given a severe setback in the elections in 19 cities throughout the commonwealth yesterday, a big increase being shown today in the license vote over last year.

Four cities swung back into the wet column from no license, they being Fall River, Fitchburg, Haverhill and Taunton. In Leominster which has been dry for eighteen out of twenty years the license forces came within a dozen votes of winning and a recount probably will be demanded.

Fire in Municipal Building.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 5.—Fire of mysterious origin was discovered early today on the twenty-fifth floor of the municipal building. The blaze started in a room recently converted into a restaurant for municipal employees. The damage was slight.

that all the gold brick sellers, confidence men and gangsters in New York thought he couldn't be real but must be a detective who had overdone the disguise. These three drunks marched up, arm in arm and holding each other up, cautioning each other to "brace up now or we'll be juggled. Look out now, there's a guard, brace up," one of them would say. The guards thought they were being strung—it couldn't be real, nobody could be as drunk as they seemed, and the fellows got by and got to their quarters. But it was real. Another fellow who tried to brace up and succeeded, but wobbled just a little, no more than passed the guard before a sergeant sang out, "Guard, take that man"—and got 18 days for it.

The Useful Clothespins.

I haven't told you how useful one of the clothespins in my Comfort Kit was. I never knew until then what the clothespins were good for. They were the one thing in the kit that I had no use for and in fact I left some of them at home. I can carry two dozen safety pins in the space and weight of one clothespin, and they will be two dozen times as useful. (Put more safety pins in the rest of the kits—big ones.) We either hang up our wash without pins, or use the safety pins, which hold better than clothespins. Well, one night one of the new men had a fit. It was a hard fit and someone yelled for something to put in his mouth, between his teeth, so he wouldn't bite his tongue. The handiest thing was one of my clothespins and I grabbed it and it was used. The fit was so hard that the fellow bit the pin right through. So that was what came of one of the clothespins in my comfort kit.

Rumor, Speculation and Hope.

I have been reading that there are to be three divisions of the National Army picked for early service. In the same paper I read that General Kennedy had left Camp Dix "on detached service," without any explanation. I am willing to bet there is a connection. Under the worst conditions of unpreparedness, General Kennedy made Camp Dix a credit. I wonder if he is not to be rewarded by being made commander of one of those divisions. I wonder if we are not the Q. M. clerks for one of those divisions, going ahead to get our training on the ground where our work will be. I hope so, and that we will be in General Kennedy's division, for he was certainly IT in looking Camp Dix into shape and seeing that the men were taken care of. Anyway, I hope this time the rumors of something doing are true. I about the Man From Ulster County want to get somewhere where I earn my money.

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\$3.98, \$6.48, \$7.85**CHRISTMAS CAROLS
BY ULSTER CO. GIRL**Louise Horton, Who Was Rachel
Louise McCausland, Author of
Community Christmas Music Just
Published.Louise Horton, who before her
marriage to Henry Horton was Miss
Rachel Louise McCausland of El-
lenville, has written the words for
two Community Christmas carols,
the music for which is the composi-
tion of Miss Laura Sedgwick Col-
lins.Mrs. Horton, like Miss Collins, has
always been actively interested in
the cause of Community music, and
her studies in Europe, at the Stutt-
gart Conservatory, with Kate Chit-
tenden and Harold Bauer, have been
of much value to her in her work.
During the present season Mrs. Hor-
ton is visiting many states and their
representative cities and towns in
the interests of community music.
In the light of results she has al-
ready attained in this field both with
the Ellenville Music Club, which she
organized and of which she is presi-
dent, as well as with other similar
organizations, it is safe to predict
that her efforts will meet with signal
success. Miss Collins is a pupil of
Dr. Antonin Dvorak."Everybody's Christmas" and "It's
Your Christmas and Mine" are the
titles of the two non-sectarian car-
ols, which have been issued in de-
ference to the demand for inter-
esting and effective community
music which has been growing more
and more imperative throughout the
country every year. The gifted
writers of these carols, aided by their
exhaustive experience in this field,
have consciously tried to provide
numbers which would prove not only
as simple of performance as possible
but also as beautiful and effective as
wise musicianship could make them,
and they have succeeded admirably.
Although the carols are confessedly
non-sectarian, there is no reason
why they should not find a glad
welcome with church choirs who are
seeking Christmas music of the bet-
ter kind that is not too difficult yet
which is thoroughly imbued with
the highest and best inspirations of
the holiday spirit. The two carols
are published together in one cover
by Carl Fisher, the music publisher.Mrs. Horton and Miss Collins are
pioneers in the new line of com-
munity music. The first music club
organization by Mrs. Horton was at
Ellenville, and this led later to her
active service for the National Fed-
eration of Music Clubs. She has
entered the field with youthful en-
thusiasm and valuable practical ex-
perience, working along quite dif-
ferent lines. Music has been intro-
duced in varied ways among the
sick in hospitals, resulting in a
noticeable improvement in the con-
dition of the patients; many of the
large department stores have or-
ganized glee clubs, choruses, and
bands among their employees, greatly
to the advantage of all concerned;
and in out-of-door life in America
the introduction of choruses, bands,
marches and pageantry offers to the
people a complex and attractive op-
portunity for the development of as-
tetic life and community spirit.Both Mrs. Horton and Miss Col-
lins have announced that they will
be pleased to receive communica-
tions in regard to a Community
Christmas, answer letters of inquiry
or see those interested in the move-
ment. Suggestions from others who
have had Community Christmas
trees will be most welcome, either
in person or by letter. They may
be addressed Care of Community
Christmas Tree Department, The
Musical Monitor, Metropolitan Opera
House, New York city.**NEW PALTZ.**New Paltz, Dec. 4.—Margaret
Elizabeth Ellings died at her home
at 17 Oakwood Terrace on Saturday,
December 1, in her 20th year. She
had been ill only a short time with
typhoid fever, when she was taken
worse with fatal results. She was
one of the bright young ladies of the
community and will be very much
missed by all.The Dutch Guild meets at the
home of Miss Bertha LeFever on
North Chestnut street on Saturday
afternoon, December 8.The Woman's Home Missionary
Society will hold a meeting in the
parlors of the Reformed Church on
Thursday afternoon, December 6.
All are requested to bring their sev-
ing and knitting. Entertainment will
be furnished by the Dutch
Guild.The Willing Workers of the M. E.
Church held a meeting at the par-
sonage on Monday evening.The regular prayer meeting of the
M. E. Church will be held this eve-
ning at the church parlors.DuBois Bros. are placing a new
tank for gasoline on the south side
of their garage. The new tank is for
Texaco gas while the old tank will be
retained for Standard gas. This
only proves that the thoroughly mod-
ern management is doing everything
for public convenience.Herman Dayton of Plattekill and
family spent Sunday at Vanderlyn T.
Pine's home on Upper Main street.Mrs. Matt Deyo, who conducts a
boarding house in Springtown in the
summer, has been stricken with
paralysis and cannot talk. Mrs.
Deyo is coming to this village to
stay with her daughter, Mrs.
Abm. Broadhead.New Paltz, Dec. 5.—Irving Thrall
has moved into the house from which
Oscar Drake recently moved on
Tricor avenue.The rival contractors who are fig-
uring on the local Normal addition
are coming to our village now to look
the grounds over.Many of our local farmers are
butchered now. Pork is very high
this season and the man who has
any to sell is indeed fortunate.

It is said that the closing of the

Normal during the months of Janu-
ary and February is being seriously
considered as a part of the govern-
ment scheme to save coal. This
would make an awful difference for
the boarding houses.The funeral of Marguerite Eliza-
beth Elting was held at her late
home on Oakwood Terrace on Tues-
day at 1:30. The services were con-
ducted by the Rev. M. V. Oggel and
Rev. James Douglas.The community chorus met at the
Annex on Church street on Monday
evening. Everything is progressing
finely and a big demonstration is
looked forward to at Christmas.Ulster Hook and Ladder Co. held
a meeting on Monday evening.The town was unable to obtain
coal on Tuesday afternoon as the
coal supply of A. P. LeFever's coal
yard gave out. Some is expected to-
day, however.Mrs. Gouches and daughter re-
turned Sunday from a stay in Brook-
lyn, where Mr. Gouches is employed
in the Hotel Margaret.**Hay Chute Fall Fatal.**Thanksgiving Day morning James
L. Wright of Ellenville went to the
barn as usual and climbed to the hay
mow for the purpose of throwing
down some hay. In some manner
he lost his footing and fell through
the hay chute a distance of 45 feet
landing on the floor of the barn and
sustained injuries which resulted in
his death the following day. The
funeral services were held Monday
from his late residence on Elm street
that village.**Restraint From Raising Prices**The Albany Argus states that Al-
bany coal dealers accepted the ruling
of the state fuel administrator re-
straining the dealers from charging
the extra 35 cents a ton which, they
claim, is made necessary by Presi-
dent Wilson's order granting the
miners increased wages, in a spirit of
resignation.**Conscience.**A very strong feeling makes to it-
self a conscience of its own—has its
own piety: just as much as the feeling
of the son towards the mother, which
will sometimes survive amid the worst
fumes of depravity.—Exchange.**Quality First
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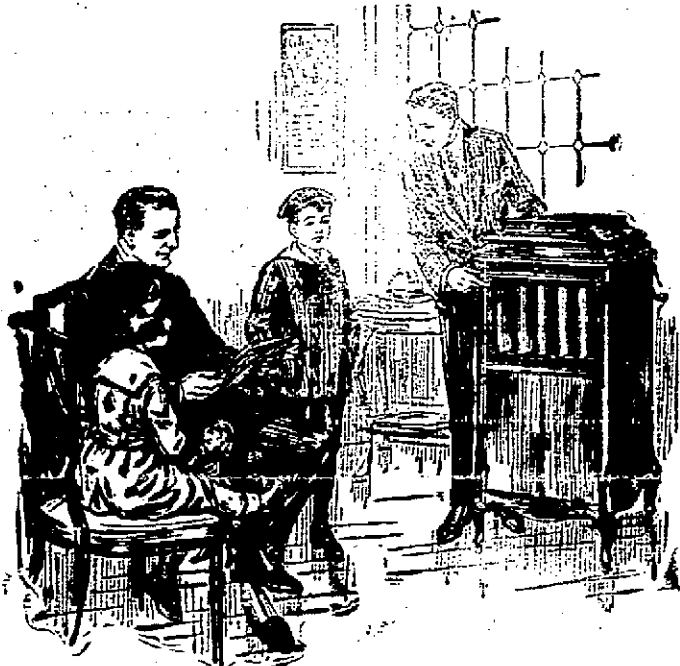
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mind should be always at work.

The Worst Evil.

Bad as any government may be, it
cannot be worse than anarchy.**LAST TOW LEFT
ALBANY TO-DAY**Heavy Ice Bringing Navigation on
Upper Hudson to Close—Steamer
Tremper Only Got as Far as Mal-
den Tuesday.Heavy ice in the upper Hudson
river is rapidly bringing navigation to
a close between Albany and Kingston
and this morning the last regular tow
of the season left Albany for points
south.The steamer J. H. Tremper of the
Central-Hudson line, which was ex-
pected to make its last trip the first
of next week, has been taken off the
route. She left Rondout Tuesday
afternoon for Albany but only got as
far as Malden, where she encount-
ered such heavy ice that her captain
decided it not safe to try and get
through to Albany and so returned to
Rondout where the freight for points
north was unloaded and the Tremper
then left for Newburgh where she
will berth for the winter.From Albany comes the announce-
ment that the Hudson Navigation
Company will close navigation on the
upper Hudson with its fleet on De-
cember 15, unless the ice gets too
thick for navigation.The Great Lakes Dredge & Dock
Company's fleet will also leave Al-
bany shortly for work in New Jer-
sey. The tug Roger C. Sullivan, the lar-
gest ever built in these parts, will go
along with the other equipment.Navigation between this port and
New York will remain open as long as
possible.**Little Skeptic.**Caroline and Tom were five and two
years old. An expedition to a park
had been planned when father brought
home to Tom a picture book of wild
beasts. Caroline was delighted. "Be-
cause, mamma, if we did not show
pictures of the animals first to Tom
he might see them in the park and
say 'I don't believe.'"**PREPARING ATTACH
AUSTRALIANS REHEARSING A
BATTLE.**A wonderful model of Messines
Ridge, covering over an acre of
ground, and true in every detail,
showing the winding road, the Ger-
man trenches and even the stumps
of splintered trees where the enemy
might lurk, was studied by the of-
ficers and men of the Australian con-
tingent before they went into the
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In pointing out the indispensability of a declaration of war by the United States against Austria-Hungary President Wilson admits that "the same logic would lead also to a declaration of war against Turkey and Bulgaria," but opposes taking such a step because those countries "do not yet stand in the direct path of our necessary action." This is true enough regarding Bulgaria, which is an insignificant nation and would do well enough if let alone. Furthermore, there are very few Bulgarians in this country, and those who are here are not of a class suitable for use in spying. But the case is different with Turkey. If the world is to be made safe for democracy and civilization it is just as necessary to defeat the Sultan as the Kaiser. In no decent world can it be possible to commit such a crime as the continuous massacre of Armenians, of whom about a million have been exterminated within a year. It is an insult to intelligence that the Turks should hold a stronghold like Constantinople. This bloody race must be reduced to subjection, since it is not susceptible of reformation. It appears that some of the stronger men in Congress take this view of the situation and will work for a war policy designed to make a clean sweep of despotism and oppression. Nobody wants another war after this, and the only way to prevent it is to make a thorough job this time.

Let us hope that Congress will heed the admonition of the President that it "must go further in authorizing the Government to set limits to prices." The problem of doing this is a difficult one, but unless it is solved there is bound to be untold trouble for all of us. The President says that while profiteering has been abolished in some branches of industry, "it still runs impudently rampant in others." The cost of living is running at a rate that is almost incredible. The cost of living has increased 30 per cent. Now, while it is possible that the railroad men may get what they ask, or nearly that, the cost being added to freight and passenger tariffs and so increasing the expenses of all other classes, it is obvious that in the great majority of our industries any considerable wage increase invites bankruptcy of the employer. Even if everybody's pay were to be doubled it would be of no advantage to wage earners, because the cost of living would be more than doubled, because the profits of the middleman would be figured at the same percentage upon a larger amount. Besides, there are millions of men and women so situated that they cannot increase their income by a single penny by a strike or any other device, and a wage increase for the more fortunate would plunge them into intolerable misery. Our only economic salvation is in keeping prices down by curbing the little profiteers as well as the big ones. We hope that Congress will disappoint our expectations by taking up the question in an efficient manner.

FROM THE CATHOLIC PULPIT.

The recent utterances of Catholic clergymen are notable. In a sermon in Washington Bishop Russell declared that the power of all government, though depending on the choice of the people, "is derived from God"—a truth on which is based "the much abused and much misunderstood so-called 'Divine right of Kings.'" Bishop Russell also made the assertion—highly interesting in entirety accurate—that "at least one-third of the American army and navy is made up of Catholics, although we are only one-sixth of the whole population." Nearly all Americans of Irish birth or parentage are Catholic and many of them are supposed to lean toward pro-Germanism because of long-standing hostility toward England, but Bishop Russell's statement clearly indicates that there is very little lack of loyalty to the Stars and Stripes among the Irish in this country.

The other notable utterance from a Catholic pulpit was made by Father McPort of Philadelphia, who paid his respects to "the present indecent dress of women." He said he was

engaged in propaganda against a "growing impropriety" responsible for "much of the evil of the times," and declared that "indecent styles" are "no excuse whatever for women appearing without sufficient clothes." He was understood to refer especially to the short skirt, which some may contend is not indecent because the exposed members are covered with shoe leather running nearly up to the knee. But this plea, even if accepted, does not remove the economic objection involved in the extravagant waste of scarce and costly leather. Nor does it take away the confusion of the thousands who every day tardily discover that supposed "little girls" are in reality full-grown or even aging women.

TWENTY AND TEN YEARS AGO.

December 5, 1897.—Fire caused by explosion of oil lamp, damaged house of William Lounsbury on Crown street.

The Rev. Custer Itch resigned as pastor of Withur Chapel.
Board of trade organized at Marlborough and Eldorado Dayton elected president.

December 5, 1907.—James Hothery, engineer on West Shore switch engine, had both legs cut off at Flatbush avenue crossing.

Mrs. Henry Kelsch died on West Union street.
Supervisors bought Sparling lot adjoining court house property on John street, for \$4,100.

HOW TO SAVE COAL.

Be a Patriot and Make Patriotism Pay Dividends.

In response to a request of a committee representing the Business Men's Trades Journals of the State, Governor Whitman has made public suggestions to the people of the state of New York aimed to save millions of tons of coal and not interfere in the progress of the state's various industries.

These business men, through S. H. Ditchett, chairman, have pointed out that the production of anthracite and bituminous coal in the United States this year will doubtless be greater than ever before. They state that the consumption of fuel today, however, far exceeds the requirements of past periods and insist that the American people can only avoid distressful conditions this winter by economizing the greatest care and intelligence in the use of coal.

The suggestions which the committee requested the governor to make public follow:

1. Don't burn coal in an open grate, for in such a practice 75 per cent or more of the heat goes up the chimney.

2. It isn't necessary to have every room heated. Most people would be healthier if they slept in cold bedrooms. Close off spare rooms.

3. Examine furnace and see that there are no cracks at floor line to permit air leakage into the ashpit. Make sure that all firing ashpit and clean-out door are air tight when closed.

4. Endeavor to keep the entire fuel space of your range or furnace filled, heaping the coal slightly in the center.

5. Feed the fire and shake the grate at regular intervals. Two or three times daily is generally sufficient, unless the plant is inadequate for the service required. Frequent feeding and shaking are uneconomical. Shake down the ashes before adding fresh coal and stop shaking the moment the first bright spot appears under the grate. In mild weather let some ashes accumulate on top of the grate; in severe weather or have only a very thin layer of ash on it.

6. If, however, the fire has burned very low and more heat is desired, open damper in the ashpit and add a small quantity of coal. In this particular case do not shake the grate until this fresh coal is well lighted, then shake down the ashes and again add fuel.

7. Don't leave food door draughts open and admit cold air over a glowing fuel bed at any time. The food door damper should be opened only to admit air over a fresh fire. Air for combustion should be drawn through the burning bed of coal and, as a general rule, all checking of draught should be accomplished by closing the ashpit damper and opening the check damper in the smoke pipe. The check damper should never be opened until the ashpit damper is closed. The shut-off damper in the smoke pipe may be partially closed in case of an unusually strong draught or to check the fire in mild weather; but, as a rule, this damper should be touched very seldom. Never check by leaving the firing door open.

8. Before feeding a furnace see that the shut-off damper in the pipe is open and close the check damper. This prevents the escape of dust through the feed door into the cellar.

9. Keep the ashpit empty. Ashes banked up under the grate prevent necessary air circulation, hinder combustion and tend to warp the grate bars. Remove at least once daily, and be sure to sift all ashes to recover the good coal that has dropped through the grate.

10. Serious fuel wastes result from allowing soot or ashes to be deposited on the interior heating surfaces. This prevents utilization of the heat in the smoke and gases. Clean flues frequently, with soft coal every other day is none too often to give the furnace a brushing down. One-eighth inch of ashes and soot on boiler surfaces retards heat transfer 25 per cent.

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Union Sta. 4:00, 6:00 a. m.; 12:40 p. m.
Trains are due to arrive as follows:
Union Sta. 11:35 a. m.; 4:15, 17:15 p. m.
Rondout Sta. 11:55 a. m.; 4:35, 17:40 p. m.
Daily except Sunday. Sunday only.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster County, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Jessie C. Preston, late of the city of Kingston, County of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, E. Van Eiten and Laurence E. Van Eiten, the executors of the said decedent, at the office of said executors, No. 33 John St., in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 21st day of March, 1918.
Dated September 19th, 1917.
JOHN C. VAN EITEN, LAURENCE E. VAN EITEN, Executors.
Van Eiten & Cook, Attorneys, 33 John St., Kingston, N. Y.

RHINECLIFF FERRYBOAT TIME TABLE

In effect Sunday, Nov. 25, 1917.
Leaves Kingston 6:30, 7:40, 8:40, 10:30, 11:05, 11:50 A. M.; 12:50, 1:30, 2:05, 3:20, 4:00, 4:40, 5:20, 6:20 P. M.
Leaves Rhinecliff 7:15, 8:10, 9:45, 11:25 A. M.; 12:10, 1:45, 2:30, 3:40, 4:25, 5:10, 5:55, 6:55 P. M.

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For the six months ending June 30th, 1917, interest was credited July 1st, 1917, at 4 per cent per annum.

Interest not drawn will be added to the principal and draw interest. Money deposited on or before Dec. 3rd and remaining in the bank until July 1st, 1918, will be credited with seven (7) months' interest.

Women and children under age have by law the control of their own savings bank accounts.

Persons living out of the city may send money by bank draft, check, post office order or express, and deposit book will be returned by mail. ALL BUSINESS STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL.

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173 Wall Street, Kingston, N. Y. CHARTERED 1874

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Deposits made on or before Jan. 10, 1918, and remaining in bank until July 1, 1918, will be credited with six (6) months' interest. Interest will be paid on all sums from one dollar to three thousand dollars.

Accounts may be opened by mail for which a bank book will be forwarded on receipt of New York draft, certified check, post office or express money order.

Rooms for the convenience of ladies are a feature of the banking house.

Interest at the rate of 4% per annum was declared for six months ending June 30, 1917.

Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month. Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest.

THE RONDOUT Savings Bank

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Deposits credited semi-annually, January and July.

Money withdrawn before January 1 and July 1 will not be entitled to interest. Deposits commence to draw interest from the first of each month.

Ad deposits made on or before the 10th day of January and July draw interest from the first days of those months. Banking hours from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturdays 2 a. m. to 12 a. m.

Interest will be paid on all sums from \$5 to \$2,000.

Interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum was declared for six months ending June 30, 1917.

Established 1894

C. D. HALSEY & CO.

We will be glad to handle your subscriptions to the new four per cent Liberty Loan Bonds. We make no charge for our services.

BRANCH OFFICE

262 FAIR ST., KINGSTON, N. Y. GEO. G. BROOKS, Resident Manager.

FOOD CONTROL IN NEW YORK STATE

By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Albany, Dec. 5.—A comprehensive, clear-cut program of food control, production, transportation, distribution and regulation in the state of New York will be the result of the conference in New York this week between Federal Food Administrator Herbert Hoover and the New York State Food Commission.

"The decks are finally cleared for action and we are in position to get somewhere," was the declaration of Charles H. Betts, executive secretary of the commission, on his return here today.

Every agency in the state is to be co-ordinated and combined into a smooth working machine which will back Uncle Sam to the limit in the war with Germany. Plans are now being worked out to utilize the agricultural department, the farms and markets council to the fullest extent of their possibilities in assisting the food commission.

A meeting will be held here next Monday at which a special committee composed of Commissioner Charles A. Wisting, Ira T. Gleason and Prof. F. M. Howe will report on the proposed plan for organization. The work of the agricultural department and the farm and markets council will be classified and each division will be headed by an expert who will be responsible for results in his division. Horticulture, animal industry, the various agricultural departments, licensing and every other phase of activity which comes within the scope of the two departments will be organized with a view to the most efficient results.

The activities of the agricultural department and the farm and markets council will be directly under the control of the food commission, and in this manner all duplication of effort and all possibility of friction or useless endeavor will be eliminated.

Nearly as important will be the state wide organization of the commission which contemplates a food administrator in each county of the state. The men who will fill these important posts are being selected with the greatest care. In order that the best men available for the work in the various counties may be chosen, the commission is proceeding with care. However, there will be no unnecessary delay in naming the county administrators and the whole list will be ready for ratification of the food commission at a meeting to be held here Thursday, December 13. The food administrators in each county will in turn organize a food council on which all interest will have representation. The commission expects to get a high degree of support and co-operation through these county organizations.

Two of the important departments under the new organization which will be outlined Monday will be the bureau of licenses and a department in charge of cold storage warehouses. The work of licensing the many businesses which will come under the food control will be of considerable magnitude. It is also planned to combine the various other licensing activities of the agriculture department under this bureau.

The four departmental chiefs of the food commission who were recently appointed are getting their work organized and Secretary Betts is completing his organization in both Albany and New York. He expects to arrange matters that he can devote most of his attention to up-state affairs. He will probably be at the New York offices only two days a week, spending the remaining four at the Albany headquarters of the commission.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Corn closed 3/4c higher, and oats were 1/2c higher.

Closing Prices.

Nov.—Dec 12 1/2; Jan 12 1/2; May 11 3/4 to 1 1/2; Oats—Dec. 75 to 74 1/2; May 72 1/2 to 73.

Movie Actor at Orphanage.

On Friday and Saturday, December 8 and 9, of this week, "Billy" Quirt, the well known movie picture actor, will appear in person at the Orphanage Theatre in songs and stories. "Billy" is one of the best known of the Vitaphone stars.

Second in Command.

Major Robert W. Andrews of Poughkeepsie is now second in command at Plattsburg.

BIRTH NOTICE.

COLE—At Schenectady, N. Y., to Mr. and Mrs. Milton H. Cole, December 3, 1917, a son, Milton Edward. Mrs. Cole was formerly Miss Mathilda J. Rice of this city.

DIED.

CRANEY—In New York City, Monday, December 3, 1917, James Craney.

Funeral from the residence of his brother, Michael Craney, 22 Adams street, Friday, December 7, at 9 a. m., and at St. Mary's Church at 9:30, where a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of his soul. Relatives and friends invited. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

ROE—In this city, December 4, 1917, Raymond W. Roe.

Funeral from the residence of his mother, 73 North Front street, on Friday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

GAS TANK EXPLODED INJURING 3 MEN

Theodore Messinger, William Hauck, and a man named Van Olinda, were injured this afternoon when a gasoline tank exploded at the Hillebrand shipyard at Connelly. Just how badly the men were injured could not be learned nor how the accident happened. It was stated they were testing the tank when the accident occurred. The tank was to be used on one of the sub-chasers being built at the yard for the government.

ABOUT THE FOLKS.

Joseph Venzel of Hoboken, N. J., spent Thanksgiving at the home of his sister, Mrs. Lawrence Dugan.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Bradow of Poughkeepsie spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Bradow's parents on Lawrence street.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Moore and little daughter Dorothy have returned to their home in Bridgeport, after spending a week in Kingston as the guests of Mr. Moore's mother.

Mrs. John N. Cordts, of Kingston, is a guest at the Nelson House. She is in Poughkeepsie visiting her daughter, who is in Vassar Brothers' Hospital. Poughkeepsie Evening Star.

E. C. Deane of Delhi and Miss Margaret Dean, his daughter, spent Thanksgiving week in New York city and on their way home were guests over Sunday of his brother, Rev. J. J. Deane of Liberty street, Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Belanger, who spent Thanksgiving week in New York city, have returned to their home in this city. Mr. Belanger left this morning for Grand Gorge to resume his duties in the office of the New York Board of Water Supply.

Griffen J. Horrick, one of our most popular young men of Woodstock left town on Monday evening for New York, where he has employment for the winter. Mr. Horrick will be missed by his many friends who all wish him the best of luck in his new enterprise.

Mrs. Robert Murphy and daughter Katherine have returned to their home on East Chester street, after visiting relatives in New York, and also Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Murphy at Ridgefield Park, N. Y.

LOCAL DEATH RECORD.

Recent Deaths and Funerals of Persons in This Vicinity.

John Whittaker of Barclay Heights, who has been ill for a long time with heart trouble, died at his home on Tuesday. He is survived by a wife, four daughters and two sons.

Raymond W. Roe died suddenly at his home, No. 73 North Front street, on Tuesday afternoon. The funeral will take place from his late residence on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment in Wiltwyck cemetery.

Sister Anenia, residing at St. Joseph's Home, New York city, and who was a daughter of the late Charles and Jane Bradley of Saugerties, died Monday at the home. She is survived by one sister, Miss Rose Bradley of New York city.

This afternoon a double funeral of the Carlstrom boys, who were drowned in the Wallkill river while skating Friday, was held from the family residence at Tilton with interment in Rosendale Plains cemetery. The boys were Carl Gunner Carlstrom, in his 10th year, and Eric Elwood Carlstrom, in his 12th year.

James Craney died in New York city Monday. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Thomas Jordan, and three brothers, Michael and John, of this city, and Matthew, of Boston. The funeral will be held Friday morning at 9 o'clock from the residence of his brother, Michael, 22 Adams street, and from St. Mary's Church at 9:30, where a requiem mass will be held for the repose of his soul. Interment in St. Mary's cemetery.

JUDGING AGE OF THE FISH

How It May Be Determined by the Scales or "Otoliths."

Could you tell the age of a fish if asked to do so?

It has been found that the age of a fish may be read from its scales. These increase in size by annual growths, two rings being formed each year. The "otoliths," or ear stones, which lie in two sacs on either side of the base of the cranial cavity, afford another means of determination. Like the scales, otoliths increase by two rings annually. Each spring a white ring is formed and each autumn a black one. Thus the number of either white or black rings in an otolith gives the age of the fish in years. In the case of fatfish the latter method has been found more reliable, whereas in the case of the cod the scales give a better result. Although varying much in size and shape in different species, the otoliths show a remarkably constancy in the same species; hence they are of considerable value in the diagnosis of a species.

Knows No Bounds.

Wherever the tree of beneficence takes root, it sends forth branches beyond the sky.—Saadi.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 5.—At the opening of the stock market today advances in the initial trading ranged from fractions to over one point. U. S. Steel Common made an advance in the first fifteen minutes of 1 1/4 to 88 1/2. Crucible advanced one point to 53 1/2, and Bethlehem B rose 3/4 to 75 1/2. United Cigar Stores sold up 1 1/4 to 86 1/4, while Tobacco Products Preferred advanced 3/4 to 91 1/2. White Atlantic Gulf declined one point to 94. The railroad stocks were strong, Reading rising 1 1/4 to 69 1/4, and Union Pacific 1/2 to 110 1/4. Continental Can declined five points to 85. The copper stocks were fractionally advanced.

During the late forenoon the market was feverish and unsettled, with many stocks selling at the lowest prices reached in a long period. Bethlehem B after advancing to 75 1/2, dropped to 73, and U. S. Steel Common from 89 1/4 to 86 1/4. Many of the minor steel industrials sold off 1 to 2 points. St. Paul Preferred declined one point to 70, the lowest price in years. Some of the specialties were without support and made sharp declines. Texas Company declined 3 points to 135, while Pullman dropped one point to 113. The Liberty 4's declined to 97.44 and the 3 1/2's to 98.58. Money loaning at 3 1/2 per cent.

Losses ranging from fractions to more than a point in the railroad issues on the stock exchange followed the news from Washington this afternoon that the Interstate Commerce Commission has suggested that the government seize and operate the railroads of the nation. Reading led the decline, falling from an early high of 69 1/4 to 66 1/4. Union Pacific declined from 111 1/4 to 109 1/4, and New York Central dropped from 83 1/2 to 82 1/2. Fractional losses also were sustained in Erie, St. Paul, Northern Pacific, Southern Pacific, Southern Railway, Atchafson and other rail stocks.

Later, however, additional news from Washington stating that dividend uncertainty would be removed if the recommendations of the Interstate Commerce Commission were adopted quickly checked the decline and caused urgent buying of rail issues. St. Paul rallied from a low of 25 to above 37, New York Central rose from 66 1/4 to 68 1/4, and Baltimore and Ohio from 45 1/4 to 47 1/4. These upturns were followed by a show of strength in the industrials. U. S. Steel Common rising more than a point to 83 1/2, Bethlehem Steel B 1 1/4 to 74, and Utah Copper one point to 75.

The market closed strong; government bonds unchanged; railway and other bonds strong.

Quotations given by C. D. Halser & Co., 15 Broad street, New York city, branch office, Warren building, 260-262 Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

Allis-Chalmers	18 1/2
American Beet Sugar	7 1/2
American Can & Foundry	60 1/2
American Can	54 1/2
American Cotton Oil	11 1/2
American Locomotive	51 1/2
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	73 1/2
American Sugar	30 1/2
Armstrong-Corbin Mining	30 1/2
Atchafson	35 1/2
Baltimore & Ohio	47 1/4
Bethlehem Steel B, pld	74 1/4
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	13 1/2
Canadian Pacific	73 1/2
Central Leather	63 1/2
Chesapeake & Ohio	48 1/2
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	32 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	32 1/2
Corn Products	27 1/2
Crescent Steel	32 1/2
Distillers' Securities	32 1/2
Erie	13 1/2
Erie 1st pld	22 1/2
Goodrich Rubber	38 1/2
Great Northern, pld	41 1/2
Great Northern Ore	26 1/2
Interborough Con.	7 1/2
Inter. Con. pld	42 1/2
Kansas City Southern	18 1/2
Lehigh Valley	53 1/2
Maxwell Motor	26 1/2
Maxwell Motor, 1st pld	31 1/2
Maxwell Motor, 2d pld	31 1/2
Mexican Petroleum	76 1/2
National Lead	70 1/2
New York Central	70 1/2
M. Y. N. & H.	30 1/2
New York Ontario & Western	19 1/2
Norfolk & Western	10 1/2
Northern Pacific	53 1/2
Pennsylvania Railroad	45 1/2
People's Gas, Chicago	38 1/2
Pittsburgh Coal	44 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	50 1/2
Railway Steel Sp.	71 1/2
Reading	71 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel	76 1/2
Southern Pacific	82 1/2
Southern Railway	53 1/2
Southern Railway, pld	58 1/2
Studebaker	12 1/2
Union Pacific	110 1/4
U. S. Steel	83 1/2
U. S. Steel, pld	108 1/2
U. S. Rubber	80 1/2
Utah Copper	75 1/2
Virginia Car. Chem	38 1/2
Westinghouse Electric	38 1/2

Taken to Reformatory.

Sarah Banks, Elizabeth Irene Holmes and Pearl Taylor Pardisa, who were arrested in the raid at the "Red Onion," were taken today to the Bedford Reformatory by attendants from the institution.

Height of Clouds.

Thunderstorm clouds are very variable in height—from 500 to 2,000 feet. The clouds in thunderstorms may be very deep—from two to five miles and hence—the appearance as to distance is very deceptive. Cumulus clouds are intermediate, and generally occupy a position from 2,000 to 5,000 feet above the earth.

NEW GRAVEYARD OF GERMAN HOPES

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Rome, Dec. 5.—Northern Italy is the new graveyard of German hopes and today it represents the slath great failure of German arms.

First, the Germans struck at Paris but it proved a glancing blow; then came the unsuccessful but costly effort to break through to the English Channel; then came the drive in Russia with the cry of "On to Petrograd," but the Germans were stopped on the Dvina river; next was Verdun, the most ghastly of Germany's ill-starred enterprises; after that came Rumania, where German hopes for complete conquest and the domination of southern Russia were dashed to the ground, and now comes Italy.

Fighting of a minor nature and heavy artillery duels were reported from various sectors of the Piave and Asiago fronts today, but there were no decisive developments.

ODDS AND ENDS.

Dancing tonight at Mechanics' Hall on Henry street. Music by Miller's orchestra.

A parcel post sale will be held this evening by Circle No. 3 of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed Church of the Comforter, at the parsonage.

Any honest person who finds a black pocketbook with green lining, containing a small sum of money, will return it to Seth Jocelyn at the court house.

Mrs. Elijah Longyear of 139 St. James street, underwent a serious operation at the Benedictine Sanitarium, Tuesday morning, by Doctors O'Meara and Dederer.

Regular monthly meeting of the Winners of Clinton Avenue M. E. Church this evening at the parsonage. Election of officers. Wives and lady friends are invited.

The Sons of Veterans Auxiliary will hold a dine social at the home of Mrs. Ira Jones, 10 Sterling street, Thursday evening, December 6. Refreshments will be served. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. Joseph W. Harlow of this city was the recipient of a large and beautiful box of oranges and grape fruit, which she received on Tuesday from her daughter, Mrs. Richard Burnett, of Florida, who picked them a week ago in that place.

THE JOINERS.

News of Interest to Members of Fraternal Societies.

The following lodges will hold regular meetings this evening:

Rising Sons and Daughters of Benevolence, 103 Cornell street.

Rondout Social Mannerchor, Kosciusko Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., 635 Broadway.

Aretas Lodge, No. 172, I. O. O. F., 36 East Strand.

Benevolent Daughters of Salome, 103 Cornell street.

Washington Camp, No. 2, Patriotic Order of Sons of America, in Mechanics' Hall, 14 Henry street.

Mt. Horeb Chapter, No. 75, R. A. M., at Masonic Hall, Wall street at 7:30 o'clock.

A meeting of the Ladies' Helping Hand Society will be held in the Aretas Lodge rooms Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present.

A. W. Reynolds Temple, Pythian Sisters, have accepted an invitation to be the guests of Ideal Temple at Saugerties tonight. They will go to Saugerties by automobile and return.

The Ladies' Auxiliary, No. 55, of Tappan Camp, No. 1, Sons of Veterans, will hold a social and card party at Mrs. Ira Jones's house, 19 Sterling street, on Thursday evening December 6.

At the meeting of Mt. Horeb Chapter, No. 75, R. A. M., this evening, the Most Excellent Master Degree will be conferred. Annual meeting and election of officers will be held on Wednesday evening, December 19th.

Why We Need "Yes" and Shake "No."

The question, "Why do we shake 'no' and nod or bow when we mean 'yes'?" is very easily answered. These actions originate in infancy. The baby turns its head away to prevent disagreeable things from getting into its mouth. If it is not hungry it will turn the head from side to side to avoid the nipple.

In time this shaking of the head becomes associated with disagreeable things and unwelcome thoughts. In like manner the nod originated in the motion of the infant's head to take food. After the child had words to express its desires the nod and shake remained to express approval or disapproval. In addition to this fundamental cause mimicry helps to perpetuate the action.

Great Burma Rice Crop.

Burma is the world's largest producer of rice and though less than a tenth of the crop is exported, even then her exports constitute more than half the rice which comes into international trade. The Burma rice crop averages twenty-eight million tons a year, and upwards of two and one-half million tons are exported.

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Spartanburg, S. C.
Dear Editor:—This poem was sent me by a friend in New York. It made me feel encouraged when I read it, and no doubt it will have a similar effect on all the boys, their parents and friends. I send you it because your paper reaches every little nook of Ulster county, of which the boys of Company M are truly representative. Sincerely yours, V. FINAN.

Here's to the boys of Company M, brave and true, each one of them; With the flag in peace or war. Not afraid of the cannon's roar. They'll make the Hohenzollern's sore. For they'll be there with the thousands more. To kick the Kaiser out the door.

So hail the boys of Company M; Ulster County is proud of them. And when they go across the sea, To join the fight for liberty. With England, France and Italy. The Dutchmen they will quickly see That Kaiser Bill ain't one, two, three.

God bless the boys of Company M; The boys that have the stuff in them; And when the Kaiser gets his due, We'll all be waiting here for you. And though it takes a year or two, Our hearts will still be just as true. For Company M has proved true blue. —Bert Owens.

Mr. and Mrs. James C. Halliday of Lucas avenue, this city, received a cablegram today stating that their son, James R. Halliday, of the 165th Ambulance Company, Rainbow Division, had arrived safely "Somewhere in France." The message states that all of the boys are well and happy and are anxious to get right in it. Mr. Halliday enlisted in New York city at the outbreak of the war.

HIGH FALLS.

High Falls, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Charles La Polt and child and her sister, Mrs. Harold Waters called at the home of Mrs. Preston on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hodge are receiving congratulations over the arrival of a baby girl.

DeWitt Steen died at his home on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Joseph Weber entertained guests at her home on Thanksgiving eve.

Communion service was observed in the Reformed Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Marky spent Thanksgiving at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Flanagan.

Mrs. David Sherman's daughter and child of Poughkeepsie have been guests at her home.

School work was again resumed on Monday, after the Thanksgiving vacation.

A load from this place attended the dance at Stone Ridge the past Friday evening.

Prayer service was held in the Reformed Church on Wednesday evening.

The Ladies Aid will meet in the chapel of the Reformed Church on Thursday of this week, Dec. 6th, to do some quilting. Dinner will be served at the church by some of the members of the aid. Everyone is cordially invited to come and help with the quilting and spend a social time.

Miss Helen Terwilliger was home for the holidays.

Those who are away teaching or attending school have gone back to their work, after their Thanksgiving vacation.

The play given by the Ladies' Aid in the chapel of the Reformed Church on Friday evening, Nov. 30 which was entitled, "Aunt Dinah's Quilting Party," proved to be a great success. All the characters in the play did full credit to the part they took. The costumes were fine. After the play, refreshments were served consisting of ice cream and cake. The proceeds from the entertainment amounted to \$35. All who took part or helped in any way to make this play such a success should be given due credit. There were a number from outside the village, who attended this entertainment on Friday evening and all held the same opinion that it was O. K.

Mrs. Harold Waters is spending some time at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles La Polt.

BAD ODOR FROM OIL LAMPS

How to Remove Cause of a Very Frequent Nuisance.

The most frequent cause for a bad odor from lamps and oil heaters is on account of a bit of oil that may be left on the outside of the lamp, especially if the lamps be of nickel or other metal which are filled through openings in the tops that are closed by small metal caps screwed on. The oil should be carefully wiped off. If lamps or heaters remain for a day or two unlighted, the oil will often soak through the pores of the metal, so they should be carefully wiped off with a dry cloth before using.

If the country housekeeper who uses lamps will take her lamp wicks when new and soak them in cider vinegar she will be pleased with the result. Don't wring them out, but hang near a stove or lay on a plate until dry. This will double the lighting power of your lamps or lanterns. Therefore, with wicks so prepared, only one cleaning a week is necessary. For the wicks won't smoke, and globe and chimney will not blacken around the top.

VETERANS COME BACK TO TAKE PLACES VACATED BY YOUNGSTERS GONE TO WAR



SOME OLD-TIMERS WHO LONG BATTLED OLD FATHER TIME.

The law that—"Youth will be served!"—

Has been repealed.

War did it, war and the vigor of some sport veterans.

While youth is serving in the war the veterans will be given the chance of their lives to come back—in every line of sport, baseball, football, tennis, golf, racing, walking, swimming, wrestling, boxing.

No, you needn't laugh at their making good. There is a lot of old-time stuff left in many a veteran of the sport world.

They used to be called "has-beens." But a lot of them are not through.

Bob Fitzsimmons' death called attention to the old-timers still in the going. Bob, you remember, was swinging the gloves right up to the time when the grim reaper knocked at the door.

Plank Coming Back.

Just the other day Eddie Plank said he was going to stage a come-back stunt in baseball next season. He won't be the only old fellow still looking at the first ones coming from the back yard. Frank Kramer and De Oro called him back. Larry Lu-

SWEDEN CLAIMS NEW RECORD

Amateur Athletic Association Officially Recognized John Zander as World's Champion.

John Zander, Swedish runner, is the new world's champion since the Swedish Amateur Athletic association has officially recognized his feat. Zander made the 1,500-meter run in 3:54.7. The American runner, Kiviat, had previously held the record with his time of 3:55.8, made during the Stockholm Olympic games in 1912.

BOXERS SLOW IN ENLISTING

Jess Willard and Benny Leonard Say They Are Ready, but Enthusiasm Not Overpowering.

Football, track, swimming, rowing and other athletic stars from practically every college in the country, together with bowlers, golfers, swim-



Champion Jess Willard.

mers and boxers are included in the long list of athletes who will make up the new army, but boxing is perhaps the laggard of all in the matter of coming to the front with enlistments. Of the many well

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12 STORES AND STILL GROWING

WAR RESOLUTION IN THE HOUSE

Will Probably be Passed Thursday
and go to The Senate For Action
—Many Want War Declared on
Turkey.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

Washington, Dec. 5.—The legislative decks were cleared for war action today. Representative Flood, chairman of the house committee on foreign affairs, completed a resolution following out the demand of President Wilson that war be declared on Austria-Hungary. This he introduced in the house when it met at noon. It immediately was referred to the committee which will approve it during the afternoon and report it back to the house.

It was considered certain that the house would pass this war resolution at Thursday's session and at once send it over to the senate for action. War with Austria-Hungary by the end of the week was certain. Representative Cooper of Wisconsin, Republican, and senior member of the minority of the foreign affairs committee, was expected to lead any opposition in the committee to a war declaration. It was very certain, however, that he would fail to in any way impede the war making machine.

The situation in the senate was rather complex. The majority of the members were extremely warlike. They believed that the president was in error in his recommendation that the status of Bulgaria and Turkey remain unchanged. Many of the senate leaders—Republican as well as Democrats—were more urgent for war against Turkey than they even were for a conflict with Austria-Hungary. The Turkish atrocities and the murder of the hundreds of thousands of Armenians; the carrying off of thousands of girls of tender age from Serbia to Turkish harems, and the general unfriendliness of the Moslems toward Christians was reflected by extreme bitterness against the Turks in the upper house.

Even Senator Martin of Virginia, the majority leader, who has followed without question the suggestions of the president at all times, wanted war with Turkey and Bulgaria. He declared that the Armenian massacres "cried out" to America for revenge. In addition he made it plain that he believed it would simplify matters everywhere if all of the Central Allies were included as enemies of the United States. It would make much easier the enforcement of the espionage trading with the enemy and other laws.

Senator Overman, another of the influential Democratic leaders, said that he believed the senate should assert a little independence at this time and declare war on Turkey and Bulgaria as well as on Austria. This also was the sentiment entertained by Senators Lodge and Borah of the minority. Today it was plain that unless the White House takes a request that no additional action be taken other than that already recommended the resolution declaring war on Austria-Hungary will be amended when it reaches the senate to include Turkey and Bulgaria.

The house resolution, after reciting that Austria-Hungary has allied itself with Germany in making war on the United States will say: "Resolved by the senate and the house of representatives of the United States of America in congress assembled, that the state of war between the United States and the Imperial Austro-Hungarian government which has thus been thrust upon the United States, is hereby formally declared; that the president be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the government to carry on war against the Imperial Austro-Hungarian government; and to bring the conflict to a successful termination of all the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the congress of the United States."

The warm reception given the president's message by the country at large was reflected in hundreds of telegrams reaching the White House today. Almost without exception these messages were warm in commendation of the president's utterance and a notable fact was that many were from Socialists. The editor of one radical Socialist publication voiced unstinted praise of the president's words and expressed the hope that they would have a salutary effect "upon misguided Russia."

Waterproofing Concrete.
To stop leakage through concrete, such as tunnel walls, clean the walls thoroughly and paint with a solution consisting of eight and three-quarter pounds of zinc sulphate dissolved in a gallon of water. The zinc sulphate will act on the lime in the cement, forming insoluble calcium sulphate and zinc hydroxide, which fill up the pores in the concrete.

FOUR MINUTE MEN TO SPEAK AGAIN

Will Tell of Campaign of the Boy Scouts That is to be Carried On—
Scouts Adopt Patriotic Slogan—
Have Large Enrollment.

At a well attended meeting of the Kingston Council of the Boy Scouts of America, held at temporary headquarters, 243 Fair street, Monday evening, plans for carrying on the work of the Boy Scouts were considered and a budget amounting to \$3,500 was made up for the year 1918.

A campaign was started about four months ago but has been postponed from time to time to make way for Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Liberty Loan and other projects. The council recognizes the value of the Scout movement as thus far worked out, only on a small scale in Kingston, and wishes to make the work bigger and give more boys the opportunity of taking part in the work. The public has not been able to realize the value of the movement, as Scouts do not advertise their good turns, but many individuals and organizations will testify to the help which they have received through the Boy Scout organization.

In order to carry on the Scout movement on the proper scale in a city of this size there must be a permanent headquarters in the center of the city where Scouts may report for instruction and examination. There are now over 100 Scouts enrolled and 200 boys waiting to join when proper facilities are secured. Beginning tonight there will be four-minute men speak at the moving picture houses and put the Scout movement before the citizens. These men will speak each night this week with a luncheon, the place to be announced later. The teams will report each noon during the week of December 10, the final reports to be submitted Saturday noon. The slogan for the campaign will be: "We must protect the boys 'Over Here' while their big brothers are 'Over There.'"

Scouts in the Movies.
Through the kindness of Manager Gildersleeve, of the Kingston Opera House, the Boy Scouts of the city are ordered to report at Scout headquarters in uniform at 3:30 on Thursday afternoon to use up a few feet of film. It is necessary that Scouts report as soon as possible after school owing to the need of as much light as possible for taking the picture.

PINE GROVE.

Pine Grove, Dec. 5.—Mrs. Harvey Spielman entertained the following relatives on Thanksgiving Day: Mrs. Ida Miller of Wisconsin, Miss Vina Spielman and friend of Saugerties, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Brooks of Veteran, Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Jones of Veteran and a cousin from Catskill. Merlin Snyder, who had his arm splinted at school, is doing nicely. Mrs. Franklin Snyder is still unable to walk.

Mr. and Mrs. Myer Snyder entertained their father and mother and family from Hommelville on Thanksgiving Day.

Miss Florence Lockwood of Hurley recently spent the week end with M. A. Bishop. William J. Carle of New York City spent Thanksgiving Day with his uncle Edward Bishop, and family. Mrs. Ida Miller, who has been making her home in the west for the past ten years, has returned to Saugerties and is visiting relatives there, also her mother at Veteran and daughter, Mrs. Harvey Spielman, of this place.

Charles Farrell of Saugerties spent Sunday with Charles Bishop. The following people spent Monday with Mrs. Stephen Jones at Veteran, it being her 81st birthday: Mrs. Ida Miller of Wisconsin, Mrs. Mary Hunt of Saugerties, Mrs. Grace Bovee of Fish Creek, Mrs. Moran of High Woods, Mrs. Eleanor Mower and Mrs. Jane Chertree of Veteran. Orville and Herman Snyder have been spending a few days in the city.

WEST HURLEY.

West Hurley, Dec. 5.—The meetings are being held for the first three evenings this week.

Frank Kellerhouse and family spent Thanksgiving with Harold Kellerhouse in Prattsville.

Miss Ruth Torwilliger of Poughkeepsie visited at Eugene Ostrander's the past week.

N. Rowe and family attended the funeral of Mrs. Chauncey Snyder in Kingston on Monday.

Miss Mary Lasher is spending a few days in Kingston. Master George Sparling of Buffalo has been spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. L. D. Hoyt. A daughter arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Fisher on Sunday. Frank Kellerhouse is employed in Rifton.

Mrs. Willis Wolven and son, Fred, called on Mrs. C. P. Hoyt on Friday. The Misses Leslie and Paula Mosher spent the week end at Dr. Sutton's in Prattsville.

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ELLENVILLE.

Ellenville, Dec. 5.—The Woman's Club of which Mrs. Helen B. Holman is president, Mrs. R. T. Cookingham, vice president; Mrs. J. P. M. secretary, Mrs. O. B. Holmes, treasurer; Mrs. E. E. Count, press correspondent; Mrs. B. C. Eaton, chairman of the executive committee held the December meeting at the home of Mrs. John G. Ewing on Maple avenue Monday afternoon. A large number of members in attendance. Three new members were admitted at this meeting. A very interesting program as arranged by Miss A. E. Cox, one of the club's most efficient members was carried out: Roll call, current events; a paper the subject of which was "An Aeroplane Flight From Porto Rico to the Philippines," by Miss Cox was very much enjoyed to the profit of all attending. "The Conversation" as led by Mrs. George J. Hoornbeck and followed by members was as well much enjoyed. It is regretted by many of the local ladies not members of the club that some of the interesting meetings held could not be held in public to which the public could attend.

Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller of Montgomery spent several days with Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. C. F. Taylor on Center street.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Tice and Master Roger D. Tice spent Friday last in Kingston.

Mrs. N. LeFevre of Maplewood was in Kingston for over the Thanksgiving holiday.

Mrs. John Van Horn by a misstep going down the cellar stairs at her home on Maple avenue Sunday afternoon fell and broke her right leg above the ankle. Dr. Freeman was called and reduced the fracture and made the patient as comfortable as possible. Mr. Van Horn has been confined to his bed the past ten days. So Mrs. Van Horn's accident is doubly serious.

Arrangements are going forth toward the completion for the annual

supper and sale to be given by the Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed Church in the church parlors on Tuesday next, December 11.

The younger members of the Red Cross Society are to hold a box social in the Red Cross rooms Friday evening. The auction of boxes will commence at 7 o'clock and the supper will follow.

The "Standard Bearers" the Young Missionary Society of the M. E. Church will hold the December meeting on Saturday evening at the home of Rosamond Torwilliger on North Main street. Miss Wyman president is to have charge of the meeting.

By request at the Reformed Church on Sunday evening next, the song "My Country," recently composed and set to music by the Author Leeds Percy, who is spending the winter in Ellenville will be repeated. All those who did not hear the choir sing it before will want to be present on Sunday evening.

Mrs. H. H. Richard of Grahamsville was successfully operated upon at the Topping Sanitarium, Dr. B. F. Neal performing the operation. Her home physician was Dr. Hoar.

Mrs. Charles Ahrens entertained the ladies of the Sewing Circle of the Lutheran Church Tuesday afternoon. The ladies will hold a coffee social in annex of church Thursday. A line supper has been arranged and fancy articles will be on sale.

Mrs. Henry Horton is planning to be present at the meeting of the Musical Club on Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. D. Diviac when the two Christmas carols of Mrs. Horton's composition are to be sung. It is hoped by many of the village music lovers, not members, may have the privilege of hearing the carols sung at a public gathering at a later date.

A very able address was delivered by Rev. W. S. Maines at the Reformed Church Sunday evening. It was the third in a series of addresses on the Reformation and the subject of this one was "The Twentieth Century Reformation."

The masterly production of history so well expounded was profitable to all privileged to attend. The very live bright singing by choir and congregation was a spiritual uplift in accord with the address delivered.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Dec. 5.—Snyder Hose Company on Tuesday evening tendered a serenade to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carnwright of Main street. They were accompanied by members of the Saugerties Band and the Colonel's Life, Drum and Bugle Corps. At the conclusion they were banqueted at Fireman's Hall.

Miss Margaret Cox of Montgomery street is visiting relatives in New York city.

Mrs. Robert Hennessy and son of West Bridge street have gone to Lee, Mass., where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schubardt and son are occupying the J. P. Russell homestead on Second street for the winter.

Fletcher J. Simpkins of Woodstock and Miss Edith Spring of Pine Grove were married at Ashokan by the Rev. G. O. Wiley on Thanksgiving Day.

Mrs. Sarah Canner of Main street has returned from a visit spent in Poughkeepsie.

William Young, a former Saugerties boy, and now quartermaster aboard the U. S. supply ship Bridge, and just back from a trip to the war zone, spent Tuesday with relatives. In a few days the Bridge will again sail for "Over There."

"MARY'S ANKLE" HAS A KICK.

Brilliant farce at K. O. H. Thursday Matinee and Night.

The sparkling farce, "Mary's Ankle," direct from The Bijou Theatre, New York city, under the direction of A. H. Woods, will be given at the Kingston Opera House Thursday matinee and night. It is a farce comedy in three acts designed solely to amuse and in that purpose succeeds brilliantly through its droll situations, witty dialogue and rapid action. It has been one of the decided hits of the theatrical season and its reputation is well earned according to Kingstonians who have witnessed the production in New York.

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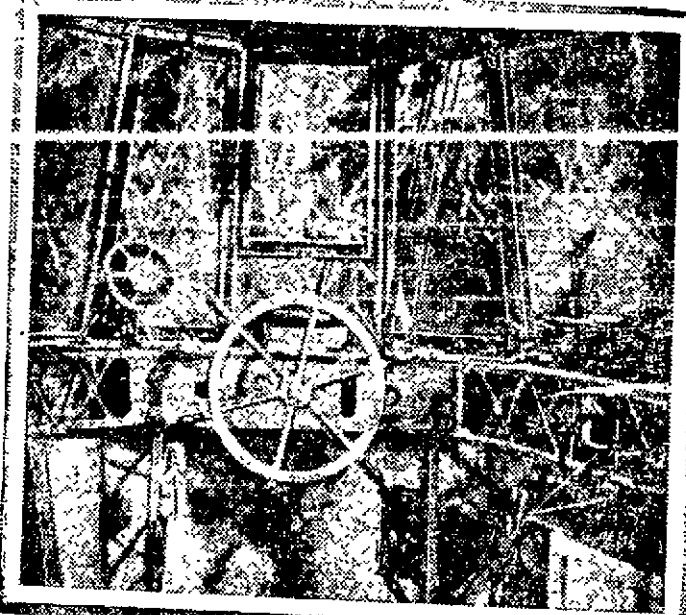
You simply must not miss Marguerite Clark in Mary Roberts Reinhart's famous sub-deb story that was so popular when run in the Saturday Evening Post.

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A photograph of extreme interest, showing details of the Zeppelin "L-49," which was brought down practically intact in France near Bourbon-les-Bains, after the raid on London last month. The airship has been dismantled by French aeronautical experts, who are in possession of all the secrets of her mechanism.

A particularly interesting feature is the construction of the forward car containing the commander's cabin, the brain of the monster, with its navigating controls and bomb-dropping gear; behind that a wireless cabin, and in the after part of large motor and propeller. The forepart of the motor shaft is sound-proof partition, so that the vibration of the motor should not affect the navigating and wireless apparatus.



LADY LAJOIE.

The International League produced twenty-three 300 batsmen last season, according to the official records made public by President Edward Barrow. Standing out prominently as the leading swatsman of the colts is the name of Napoleon Lajoie, for years one of the leading big of the former Cleveland star so that he was no longer desired by the big league managers, but he retained sufficient of his skill to hit .256 in 151 games for Toronto last season.

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50c Perfumes	2 for 51c		
75c Toilet Waters	2 for 76c		
50c Massage Cream	2 for 51c		
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25c Tooth Wash	2 for 26c		
20c Rice Powder	2 for 21c		
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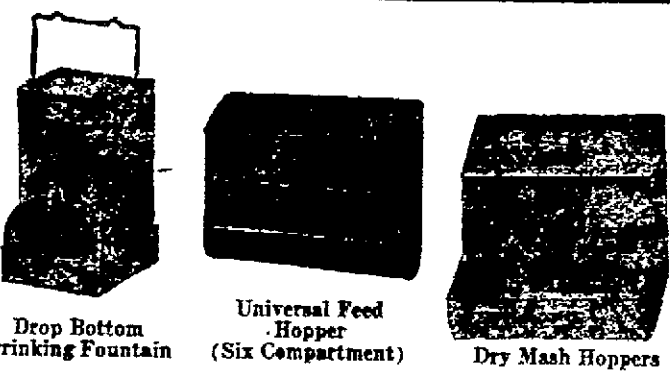
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Mayor Canfield Calls Attention of City Fathers to Need of Money—Routine Matters Before Common Council.

Mayor Canfield in a communication to the common council at the regular monthly meeting Tuesday evening at the city hall called attention to the need of raising \$18,000 to carry on the city's business until the general tax levy and stated that between \$35,000 and \$20,000 was estimated as needed for the various city boards.

Alderman Fischer's resolution that the sum of \$18,000 be borrowed to carry on the city's work was unanimously adopted.

President Connolly presided at the session with Aldermen McKittrick, Schick, Marquardt, Leverich Fischer, Kullmann, Hull and Purvis present. The absentees were Aldermen Smith, Farish, Powell and Brown.

Bills of election officials amounting to \$2,491 for work at the November election were audited and ordered paid.

The water board sent in a communication stating that the Ulster County Laundry, Cleaning & Dyeing Company, owned by the board \$142,255 water rent and placed the bill in the hands of the city fathers for collection as provided by charter. A resolution was introduced by Alderman Purvis that the amount of the water rent with six per cent interest be levied upon the property in addition to the annual tax to be levied by the common council in the next annual tax levy. The resolution was unanimously adopted.

Several routine matters were also discussed before an adjournment was taken.

This was the last meeting of the present board of aldermen.

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An Old Agreement.

Captain John Grimes of North street has in his possession an old "Articles of Agreement" entered into on May 7, 1861, between the Pennsylvania Coal Company and himself, whereby he agreed to take charge of a canal boat owned by the company known as No. 1234 to navigate between Hawley and Port Ewen on the Delaware & Hudson Canal.



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Deeds Recently Recorded in County Clerk's Office.

John E. Hardenburgh and Henrietta S. Hardenburgh, his wife, of the town of Rosendale to Julius Vekassy and Esther Vekassy, both of Long Island City, a parcel of land located in the town of Rosendale. Consideration, \$900.

Thomas Lane of the town of Lloyd to Charles H. Relyea and Emma C. Relyea, his wife, of the same place, conveying a piece of land situated in the town of Lloyd. Consideration, \$40.

Burger M. Bailey of Albany to Walter N. Thayer, Jr., of the town of Wawarsing, a tract of land located in the village of Napanoch. Consideration, \$1.

Ever W. Brooks and Etta Brooks, both of the village of Walden, to George W. Quimby of Gardiner, conveying a tract of land in the town of Gardiner. Consideration, \$1,200.

Clarence T. Freer of Kingston to Georgia Ellison Freer of the same place, a parcel of land located in the city of Kingston. Consideration, \$1.

Charles H. Relyea and Emma C. Relyea of the town of Lloyd to Harold W. Percival of that place, a tract of land situated in the town of Lloyd. Consideration, \$75.

Sarah Magdalene LeFevre of the town of New Paltz to Thomas Lane of the town of Lloyd, conveying a parcel of land located in the town of Lloyd. Consideration, \$100.

Charles Virgil Relyea of the town of Lloyd to Harold W. Percival of the same place, a tract of land in the town of Lloyd. Consideration, \$60.

WEST PARK.

West Park, Dec. 5.—The past week has seen little change in the manner of life of our community. More people are knitting as they realize the great need of keeping the boys at the front warm. Thanksgiving Day was quiet as well as pleasant. Several dinner parties were given for families and friends.

The Thanksgiving services in Ascension Church were well attended and an offering made for the Armenian and Syrian sufferers amounting to \$6.08.

Several teachers from Fishkill with Miss Myra Covert took possession of the noted Slab Sides on Thanksgiving morning and remained there until Sunday afternoon.

William Schickie and daughter, Gretchen, with several friends spent Sunday at their cottage here.

James Reynolds also spent the week end at his Riverside bungalow. Quite a number of our young men have taken to work on Bridgeport, Conn., to work in the Winchester Arms Company factory. Noah and Eugene Travis, Merle Green, Frank Ackert and Jesse Jones are among the number.

Not so many automobiles frequent our fine state road, whether because of the freezing weather or to save gasoline for war purposes, our Patriotic Philosopher cannot determine.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Drake with their daughter, Katherine, spent Sunday with the parents of Mrs. Drake, Mr. and Mrs. Luke Conner.

All are rejoicing with Mr. and Mrs. George Hasbrouck over the recovery of their daughter, Edith, from a very serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. John Watson with their two sons are enjoying a few days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Atkins, daughter of Mrs. Watson.

A new Delco Lighting system is being installed in Ascension Church and rectory and soon we shall have "more light."

Every Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Payne W. Bingham give a complimentary moving picture entertainment at the garage, at which many persons are finding much pleasure.

Miss Ruth Towill of New York city spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her parents in West Esopus, returning to the city Sunday afternoon.

ALLABEN.

Allaben, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Leal Boice and sons and Mrs. Andrew Harkness of West Shokan and the Rev. and Mrs. S. S. Sargeant and Mr. Smith of Pine Hill were guests of John Evans at his home last Sunday.

Miss Sadie Rowe of Waterbury, Conn., spent Thanksgiving Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rowe.

Miss Elizabeth Pearsall, who attends the Kingston High School, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Pearsall.

Mrs. M. A. Risenbury and Edmund Risenbury spent Thanksgiving Day with Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Van Keuren at their home in Shandaken.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Van Keuren entertained at dinner on Thanksgiving Day the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Van Keuren, Miss L. Kitz and Watson Freer, Jr., of Kingston.

Mrs. Elsie Brownell spent last Wednesday with Mrs. G. F. Van Keuren.

Mrs. Willard Gulnick will entertain the Ladies' Aid Society of the Shandaken M. E. Church at her home on Thursday. Luncheon will be served to all guests.

The Shandaken and Allaben Auxiliary of the Red Cross will hold their regular meetings on Wednesday, December 6th, at the home of Mrs. W. Coons.

Mrs. Peter Winne and Mrs. M. Soules called to see Mrs. Elizabeth Ed.

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Mrs. H. Whitney and daughter June of Grand Gorge spent the week end with Mrs. Ella Coons at her home in Shandaken.

Mrs. Charles Hilliker of Broad Street Hollow made a visit to Hunter last week.

Mrs. Bridget Ennist of Broad Street Hollow spent the week end with her son, George Ennist, who lives in Kingston.

The many friends of Miss Helen Segelken, who is training for a nurse at the Methodist Hospital in Brooklyn will be pleased to know she has received her cap.

On December 12th there will be a parcel post sale given by the Ladies' Aid at the Shandaken M. E. Church. Refreshments will be served.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Martin Mayer, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Rosie Mayer Dugan, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at No. 124 Haverbrook avenue, in the city of Kingston, Ulster county, N. Y., on or before the 15th day of February, 1918. Dated, August 11, 1917.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Fannie E. Anderson, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, to present the same with vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, the executor of the estate of said deceased, at 22 Ferry street, in the city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 15th day of December, 1917. Dated, June 12th, 1917.

NOTICE is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of HENSHER METAL COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, No. 18 Kapely St., Borough of Brooklyn, County of Kings, City and State of New York, on the 22nd day of December, 1917, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of voting on a proposition that the said corporation be dissolved forthwith pursuant to Section 221 of the General Corporation Law of the State of New York, and for the purpose of transacting such other business as may lawfully come before the meeting. By Order of the Board of Directors. Dated, November 12, 1917.

C. W. GRIFFIN, Secretary.

In the said city of Kingston, N. Y., on or before the 15th day of December, 1917. Dated, June 12th, 1917.

EDWIN J. GRAHAM ROSE, Executor. H. H. FLEMING, Attorney, 22 Ferry St., Kingston, N. Y.

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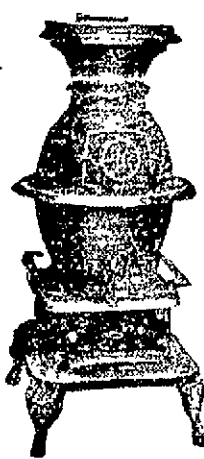
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NOTICE OF APPLICATION TO ALTER TOWN BOUNDARY LINES.

NOTICE is hereby given, pursuant to the provisions of section 25 of the County Law, that we, the undersigned, will, on the 27th day of December, 1917, at a meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the County of Ulster, be held on that day, after the existing boundary lines of the town of Woodstock and Hurley so as to take from the town of Woodstock and annex to the town of Hurley the following described territory, to-wit:

Beginning at a point (such point being nearest two hundred feet (200 ft.) north westerly along the line dividing the town of Hurley and Woodstock, County of Ulster, State of New York, from the point of intersection of the dividing line marking the boundaries with the towns of Kingston, Hurley and Woodstock, all in the County of Ulster, and said State and such last mentioned intersection being the most westerly point of the said line;

and running thence along the said boundary line as it existed between the said towns of Hurley and Woodstock in a northerly direction seven hundred feet (700 ft.), thence continuing along the said dividing line between the towns of Hurley and Woodstock in the north-easterly direction to the year 1869, north three degrees (3°) twenty one minutes (21') west five hundred seven and two-tenths feet (507.2 ft.), north seven degrees (7°) twelve (12) minutes west nine hundred seventy-one and five-tenths feet (971.5 ft.) north six degrees (6°) thirty seven minutes (37') west one thousand four hundred and two-tenths feet (1402.2 ft.), thence north sixteen degrees (16°) twenty one minutes (21') east two hundred seventy-seven and four-tenths feet (277.4 ft.), thence south seventy-one degrees (71°) fifty six minutes (56') east two thousand eight hundred thirty-six and eight-tenths feet (2836.8 ft.), thence south nineteen degrees (19°) five minutes (5') east two thousand four hundred twenty-four and six-tenths feet (2424.6 ft.); thence north seventy degrees (70°) five minutes (5') west one thousand four hundred and two-tenths feet (1402.2 ft.), thence south twenty degrees (20°) six minutes (6') west seven hundred sixty-nine feet (769 ft.) to the point of place of beginning, containing about one hundred twenty-seven and seven-tenths acres (127.7), be the same more or less.

Dated, November 12, 1917.

Frank Van Duzend, John W. Castle, Charles W. Bonst, Michael J. Joyce, Jr. Michael Williams, Frank Kellerhouse, Tra Saxe, Norman J. Cole, Chester P. Hays, William H. Barham, Wilton Hewner, Charles S. Hinchey, Fred Saxe, Cornelius N. Riesley, J. Wesley Mosher, Henry Reper, Mrs. Volney, Emma Lasher, Larry H. Elwyn, Wesley Prince, George W. Elwyn, Victor N. Lasher, Charles Riesley, Irving Riesley, George A. Scher, J. C. Snyder, William R. Shultz, Cecil K. Harder, Stewart T. ...

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KATRINE GRANGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Lake Katrine Grange held its regular meeting on Monday, December 3, at which the following officers for the coming year were elected: Master, Myron Boice; overseer, Wesley Parish; lecturer, Abram Riel; steward, John TenBroeck; assistant steward, Alvin Kieffer; chaplain, Nettie Parish; treasurer, Frank Snyder; secretary, Mary Brink; gate keeper, Arthur Kieffer; Flora, Frances Brink; Pomona, Annie Kieffer; Ceres, Helen Woolsey; lady assistant steward, Edith Legg; executive committee, John Legg, Valentin Gaddis, W. Trueman; trustee, Valentin Gaddis.

Reports from the regular standing committees were received, covering a wide variety of subjects and showing great interest in many phases of activity as is indicated by the following report of the Committee on Education and Information:

Many protests against the township school bill, from every quarter complaints are heard of increased tax bills and no evidence of any change for the better. The only favorable reports heard are from those financially interested. There is every indication that the farmers received what an officer of the State Grange called "the dirty end of the stick" on this as well as some other occasions during the last session of the legislature.

The joint meeting in Cooper Union on Monday, November 26 of the representatives of organized labor and the farmers, as the producers and consumers of food, marks a long step in advance and will go down in history as an epoch making event.

Brother Charles H. Van Etten was elected delegate to Pomona which meets in Masonic Hall, Kingston, on Friday, December 7, at 11 o'clock a m.

GERMAN GAS MASK.

Second One to Reach U. S., is on Exhibition Here.

The second German gas mask to reach the United States is now on display in one of the large show windows of the Up-to-Date Suit and Clock Manufacturing Company on Wall street.

This mask was taken from a German prisoner by an American soldier "Somewhere in France" and was brought to this country by an American sailor aboard the U. S. S. President Lincoln. This sailor is a young man residing in Rochester, N. Y.

Mr. Forman met this sailor on a train going to Syracuse last Thursday and realizing the historic value of this utensil of war, purchased it for a souvenir.

The upper portion is of a gray colored material with openings of glass for the eye and a tape that holds it on the head. To make this exhibition realistic Samuel Beloff, the decorator, attached it to the head of a figure full dressed in a U. S. khaki uniform. The lower portion is made of metal construction with a

gas muzzle covering the nose and mouth for breathing purposes. In many respects this mask resembles the ones used by our boys "Overseas" in fighting the liquid fire of the barbarous Huns.

Wiltwyck Hose Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of Wiltwyck Hose Company will be held at their rooms in the engine house on Fair street Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. At this time arrangements, etc., and most important part is election of officers and entertainment which will be held in January.

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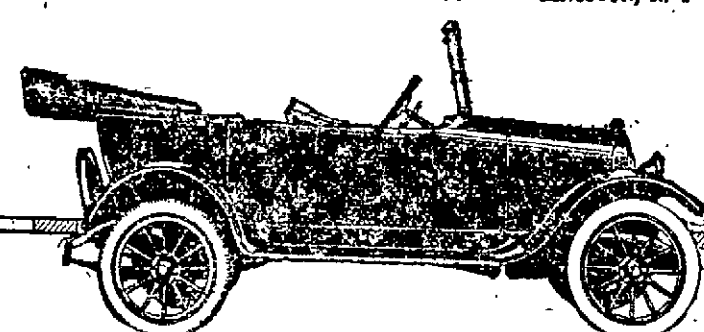
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Belle D. Lounsbury, late of the town of Rochester, county of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Philip D. Lounsbury, T. DURYEA LOUNSBURY, GRACE L. PIERCE, as executors, etc., of Belle D. Lounsbury, deceased, on or before the 15th day of January, 1918.

Dated, July 10th, 1917.

PHILIP D. LOUNSBURY,
T. DURYEA LOUNSBURY,
GRACE L. PIERCE,
As Executors, etc., of Belle D. Lounsbury, deceased.

V. E. Van Wageningen, Attorney, Kingston, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Walter N. Gill, surrogate of Ulster county, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against Vinzenz Dittmar, late of the city of Kingston, county of Ulster, deceased, testate, to present the same with the vouchers in support thereof, to the undersigned, Elizabeth D. Dittmar, the executrix of the last will and testament of Vinzenz Dittmar, deceased, at her residence, No. 507 Broadway, in the said city of Kingston, Ulster county, on or before the twelfth day of December, 1917.

Dated June 4, 1917.

ELIZABETH DITTMAR,
Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Vinzenz Dittmar, deceased.

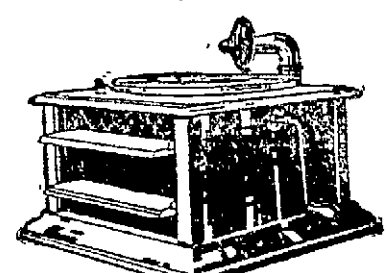
John T. Cahill, attorney for executrix, office and post office address No. 38 Clinton Ave., Kingston, Ulster County, New York.

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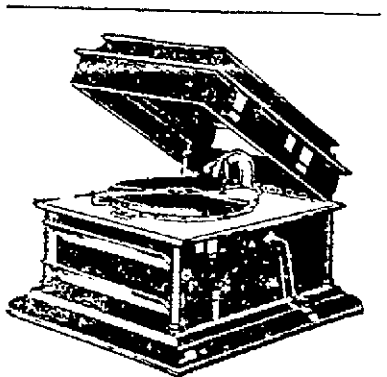
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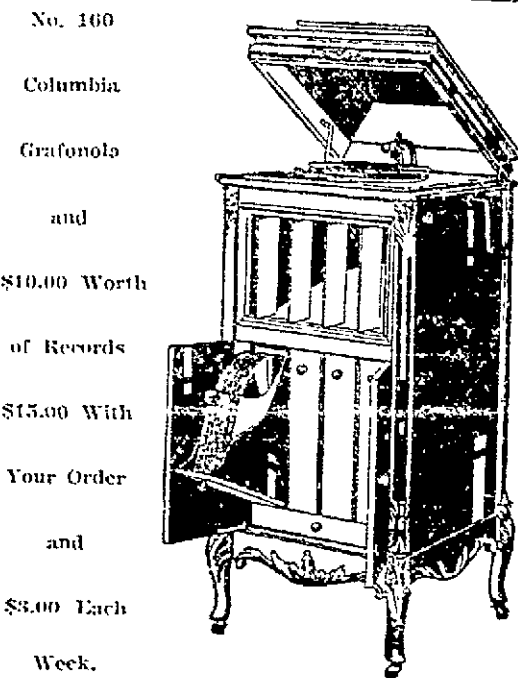
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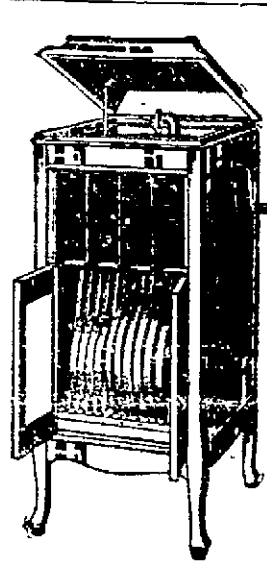
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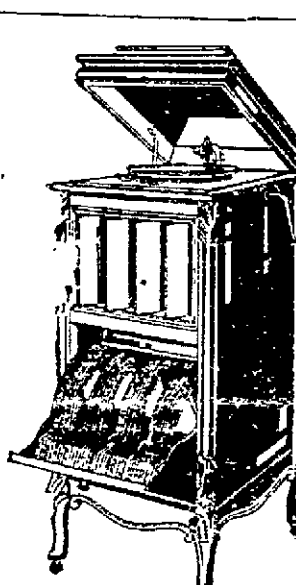
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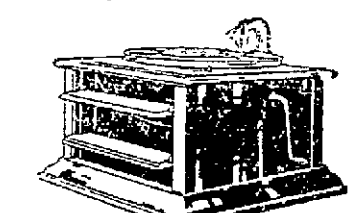
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DAIRYMEN OF SIX STATES MEET

Great Gathering of Members of the Dairymen's League in Session in Utica—Ulster County Represented at Sessions.

Two large assembly halls were packed Tuesday by the 1,000 or more members of the Dairymen's League in session in Utica, N. Y., and Ulster county was well represented at the sessions and I. C. Barnes of New Paltz was unanimously nominated for director of District No. 5 comprising Ulster, Schoharie, Greene and Sullivan counties.

The states represented at the sessions were New York, New Jersey, Connecticut, Vermont, Massachusetts and Pennsylvania.

At Tuesday morning's session President Cooper presided and announced that the report of the Apportioning Committee be heard and then caucus for nominations for directors.

The report placed Ulster county in District No. 5 with the three other counties mentioned. These counties met in caucus as follows: Ulster with 5 delegates representing 2,392 shares and votes, Schoharie with 7 delegates representing 3,265 shares and votes, Sullivan with 9 delegates representing 268 shares and votes. Greene county had no delegates. Three names were presented for a Dairymen's League director for the Fifth District. After separate conferences of the delegates of each county, two withdrew and I. C. Barnes of New Paltz was unanimously nominated for director. His nomination had only to be confirmed by the nominating committee and he becomes one of the twenty-four directors of the league.

Ulster county was represented by County League President George McCord of Wallkill; County League Secretary George Duseberry of Modena; New Paltz Branch Secretary I. C. Barnes of New Paltz; Gardiner Branch, President William O. Freer of Gardiner, and Mr. Winchell of Stone Ridge and W. H. Hook of the Ulster county Farm Bureau who was the guest of the Ulster County Organization of the Dairymen's League.

The activities of the league during the past year were related by President Cooper in his annual report. The official publication, the Dairymen's League News, was said to be in good condition. President Cooper said the league had been authorized to purchase \$5,000 worth of the second Liberty Loan bonds.

The defeat of George W. Perkins as head of the state commission was evidently entirely satisfactory to the members of the league, who applauded when this part of the report was read by President Cooper.

Necessary steps have been taken, the president reported, to increase the capital stock from \$100,000 to \$500,000.

The league pays the car fare and \$3 for one day of the expenses of the delegates of the county boards to the annual sessions.

The report of Secretary Manning showed that New York state leads the six states with 649 branches, 37,577 members and 458,727 cows.

This is the tenth anniversary of the founding of the league and the secretary's report showed the splendid increase made from year to year in the number of cows owned by the members of the league.

Louis M. Hardin of Sussex, treasurer, reported stock subscriptions of \$52,000 and of over \$41,000 on the 1 per cent assessment on receipts of the league were \$227,170.

CHRISTMAS SEALS TO HELP WIN WAR

Had you thought of that? That the Christmas seals sold this year may go a good way toward helping to win this awful war? Here is how they will help:

The money raised by this sale will help to care for the thousands of men who are being rejected from service because they have tuberculosis, and will also help to care for the thousands more who will be returned to their homes sick with the awful disease, contracted from others since they entered the service. So many of these cases are now in-cipient cases that with proper care they may make a full recovery if properly and immediately cared for. Right now the national association and various state and local tuberculosis associations are conducting educational campaigns in the cantonments that will go far in the prevention of the spread of the disease, at a time when perfectly strong and healthy man power is at a premium. In addition, the national association has undertaken to follow up the men who have been rejected from service on account of tuberculosis, and a campaign is being waged to reach these men through state health boards and local tuberculosis-prevention societies.

All this work, however, needs the support of the entire public, and this can be given by the generous purchasing of the Red Cross Christmas seals. The goal set for this year's sale is \$3,000,000 and the American Red Cross and the National Association are urging every man, woman and child to buy three times as many stamps this year as they bought last year. This work is of vital importance to the nation, so do your "bit," and make it a "good bit," at that.

For those who are thinking of what to give and where to get that Christmas present will find an answer in the big full page advertisement in tonight's Freeman of Oppenheimer Brothers, the Broadway Jewellers, which contains many timely suggestions of merit.

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He Was a Boy.
Little George was getting ready for school one day, when it was just about to rain. He was told to take his umbrella with him. He didn't like the idea, and after awhile repented, "Not for mine; that's too womanish."

Wasting Her Time.
"What do you think of a man who would spend his evening with his arm around the back of a girl's chair?" "Looks like wasting the girl's time. I'd let him spend the evening with the chair."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

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There's something very romantic about the cavalry, something very thrilling about the thunder of hundreds of horses' hoofs, something that makes one's heart leap with joy—or terror, or a mixture of both. For myself, if I were "the enemy," I believe I'd much rather face a machine gun than a cavalry charge, writes Mary Woodson Shippey in the Southern Woman's Magazine. But, somehow, the cavalry has not proven practicable in the present war, and as France and England can furnish about all that might be needed, most of our cavalry are to be made into artillery, because of the great need of artillery.

In fact, all the new cavalry regiments are to be trained as artillerymen, while the old ones are being trained as infantrymen, although they will all keep their designation as cavalrymen. This gives them a double dose of training—for they must be able to drill equally well afoot or on horseback—as well as a double lot to learn. But they all insist, to a man, that they're not infantrymen—or "doughboys" and "leather-necks," as they derisively call them—but "dis-mounted cavalry." And so be it, since they are so terribly proud of their branch of the service and so loyal to it.

There were fully as many, or more, of these "dis-mounted cavalrymen" up on the hills going through regular infantry drill as there were cavalrymen astride horses—hundreds of them, olive-drab units marching, marching everywhere among the whirling, circling horses, making one dizzy just watching. And standing about on lone prominences were various officers, silent, alert, their horses like statues—if statues could switch angrily at flies—their keen eyes watching very critically this army of these United States grow, picking out the mistakes and flaws in under-officers and men.

It gave one a strange, comforted feeling—a strange impression of a determination to see to it that all these hundreds of boys were perfect in all the tricks of the trade, so they could take care of themselves. And how young the most of them seemed! Slim, smooth-cheeked boys, their faces just growing up to the square manliness of their trim shoulders, for the cavalry takes younger boys than any other branch of the service.

A Huge Shadow.
Shadows, naturally enough are of various sizes, and one can imagine that mountains throw very large shadows indeed. It is said that the peak of Tenerife, on the largest of the Canary islands, throws such a huge shadow that it stretches as far as 50 miles across the water, partly overlapping some of the other islands.—Christian Science Monitor.

Cleaning Tea Kettle.
To make tea kettles wear twice as long gather a handful of pebbles (size of a walnut), wash nicely and put in tea kettle. The rolling around of pebbles keeps the crust that forms loose, and it easily shakes out from time to time, thus saving the wear of the kettle.

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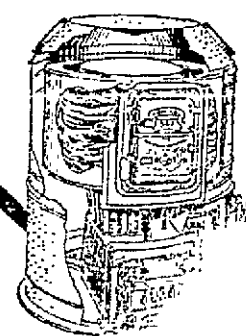
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the WALLPAPER VALLEY RAILROAD COMPANY, for the election of directors and inspectors of the next election and for the consideration of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company in Union Station, Kingston, N. Y., on Wednesday, December 12, 1917, at 12 o'clock noon.
F. W. FAIRBANKS, Secretary.

"Dog-gone" Luck

Masterlinck said: "The more I know of men the better I like dogs." Perhaps you, too, are a canine fancier. When your pet becomes lost, strays or is stolen, employ The Freeman's Cert-a-Word Column and get the dog back quickly.

NAVY DRIVE TO SECURE RECRUITS

In order that the many advantages of the Navy may be brought to the attention of the young men of this section of the United States, the Navy Department has authorized a Travelling Publicity and Recruiting Party for the New York Metropolitan Recruiting District. Realizing the great amount of publicity which can, and no doubt will, give to this party, and believing that, owing to the present "war activity" and the existing conditions regarding all means of offense and defense, it will be of great interest to the readers of your paper, I am herewith giving you full information regarding this proposed trip.

The party will consist of two sections: the first in consist of advance publicity men; the second to consist of the recruiting force proper. The advance publicity men will distribute literature, interview public officials with a view to securing their cooperation; and give publicity to the fact that the recruiting party will be in town to give preliminary examinations. These parties will arrive in the cities mentioned on the attached schedule on the date set forth thereon. As it will be necessary to follow this itinerary, the stay of the party will be limited.

When the main recruiting party arrives, it will establish offices in a location previously secured by the advance men; will interview all eligible young men who desire information; secure applications; and conduct examinations.

The procedure will be as follows: Any man wishing to be examined will apply at the office; make out an application; when he will be given the physical examination. If he passes this physical examination he will be given a ticket to New York City and told to report to the Navy Recruiting Station at that place for enlistment when he will be sent to the Training Station, Newport, R. I.

The greatest obstacle the Navy Department has to overcome in securing recruits for the Navy is the old-time, worn-out tradition, that the Navy is made up of men taken from the lowest strata of life—the "down-and-out" who is without character, honesty and integrity; and that the Navy is no place for the honest, upright young man of good repute.

This Travelling-Recruiting Party is sent out to impress upon the public the good, clean, healthy life of the modern man-of-war's-man and the high morale of the enlisted personnel of the present day Navy.

In view of this fact, it is the idea of the Navy Department to implant the seed of thought; to impress upon the young men of the country that the Navy of the present day is a great institution; that it is the place for intelligent, honest, upright, young men and that a four year enlistment will be of incalculable benefit to any man. This seed, once implanted, will cause investigation, which will in turn bring forth the desired results. It is requested that you urge your readers to call at the offices of the Travelling Party located in the cities nearest their home on the dates set forth on the attached schedule; to talk to the men who have been through the mill; who can speak from the experience of years and who can vouch for the increased morale of the enlisted personnel and the numerous benefits of the United States Navy; to ask questions and to receive answers even though they do not at the time desire to enlist in the Navy.

It is hoped that the subject matter of this letter will receive your very serious consideration; that you will publish this letter either in whole or in part; that you will give the subject continued space; and that you will furnish this office with a copy of your paper.

Assuring you that any publicity you may give to this measure will be greatly appreciated, and extending to you in advance, the thanks of the Naval Service in general, and of this office in particular, I am,
Very truly yours,
CHARLES A. ADAMS,
Commander, U. S. Navy (Retd.)
Commanding New York
Metropolitan Recruiting Dist.

Literary for follow up Recruiting Party by automobile from New York:

Tarrytown	Dec. 7th.
Ossining	Dec. 8th.
Mount Kisco	Dec. 9th & 10th.
Brewster	Dec. 11th.
Peekskill	Dec. 12th.
Beacon	Dec. 13th.
Pawling	Dec. 14th.
Pine Plains	Dec. 15th.
Rhinebeck	Dec. 16th & 17th.
Kingston	Dec. 18th.
Newburgh	Dec. 19th.
Ellenville	Dec. 20th.
Liberty	Dec. 21st.
Monticello	Dec. 22nd.
Port Jervis	Dec. 23rd & 24th.
Middletown	Dec. 25th & 26th.
Monroe	Dec. 27th.
Suffern	Dec. 28th.
Haverstraw	Dec. 29th.

Literary for Advance Publicity Party by automobile from New York:

Tarrytown	Dec. 4th.
Scribner	Dec. 4th.
Ossining	Dec. 4th.
Croton	Dec. 5th.
Mount Kisco	Dec. 5th.
Bedford	Dec. 5th.
Cross River	Dec. 5th.
South Salem	Dec. 5th.
Salmon Center	Dec. 5th.
Putnam	Dec. 5th.
Croton Falls	Dec. 5th.
Brewster	Dec. 5th.
Somers	Dec. 6th.
Peekskill	Dec. 6th.
Garrison	Dec. 6th.
Cold Springs	Dec. 6th.
Beacon	Dec. 6th.
Fishkill	Dec. 6th.
Hopewell Junction	Dec. 6th.
Brookman	Dec. 6th.
Pawling	Dec. 6th.
Dover Plains	Dec. 6th.
Amenia	Dec. 6th.
Millerton	Dec. 10th.
Pine Plains	Dec. 10th.
Rhinebeck	Dec. 10th.
Kingston	Dec. 10th.
Rosendale	Dec. 10th.
New Paltz	Dec. 11th.
Walden	Dec. 11th.
Newburgh	Dec. 11th.
Monticello	Dec. 11th.
Wurtsboro	Dec. 12th.
Ellenville	Dec. 12th.
Greenfield	Dec. 12th.
Woodbourne	Dec. 14th.
Liberty	Dec. 14th.
Monticello	Dec. 14th.
Port Jervis	Dec. 15th.
Middletown	Dec. 15th.
Goshen	Dec. 17th.
Monroe	Dec. 17th.
Harriman	Dec. 17th.
Tuxedo	Dec. 17th.
Shokburg	Dec. 18th.
Suffern	Dec. 18th.
Haverstraw	Dec. 18th.
Congers	Dec. 18th.
West Nyack	Dec. 19th.
Nyack	Dec. 19th.

PORT EWEN.

Port Ewen, Dec. 5.—The chicken supper at Pythian Hall, Port Ewen, last night was a success in every way. The farce "That Blonde Person," was well rendered and much enjoyed by a large audience. Much praise and thanks is due Mr. Williams of Kingston for his timely verses rendered in his pleasing manner. Tonight, the last night of the fair, a salad supper will be served at 6 p. m. on Dec. 6.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Brotherhood of the Reformed Church the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Lester O. Ferguson; Vice-President, Elvin Hutchins; Secretary, Harry G. Hotelling; Treasurer, Elliot L. Hotelling. The members of the various committees were re-elected.

First Dutch C. E. Society.

The regular monthly business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the First Reformed Church was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Belle Costello on Washington avenue. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, also the reports of the committees for the month of November. Plans for a Christmas play to be given in the church chapel were discussed. After other routine matters were disposed of the meeting adjourned, after which refreshments were served.

PLAINTIFF LOSES IN DAMAGE SUIT

Judge Nichols Grants Defendants' Attorneys Motion for a Non-suit—Plaintiff Wins in Real Estate Case—Another Action Against Van Buren and Company—Real Estate Case Tried.

In supreme court Tuesday afternoon Judge Nichols granted the motion made for a non-suit by the attorney for the defendant in the case of Giovanna Durante against the New York Central and Hudson River Railroad and the West Shore Railroad.

Giovanna Durante is the widow of Salvatore Durante who on January 11, 1915, at about 6:45 a. m., was found in a dying condition on the West Shore tracks, about 400 or 500 feet from the Broadway crossing. Durante died in the Kingston City Hospital a short time after the accident.

There was no witness to the accident but it is thought that Durante was struck by a train. He was employed by the West Shore and was on his way to work when the fatal accident happened.

The suit was brought for \$25,000. The suit was based upon the claim that the railroad company was negligent in not having the yard adequately lighted, that locomotives standing around enveloped the vicinity with smoke and steam, and that while rounding the curve or approaching the yard the proper signals of warning were not given.

The defendants denied any negligence and took the stand as every reasonable care is exercised by the road for the safety of its employees, that these employees have to take the chance of accidents. The company also claimed that if Durante was struck by a train at the point on the tracks claimed by the plaintiff that Durante was trespassing because his work did not call him to this particular point.

Amos Van Ethen appeared for the defendants and Thomas Downs of New York City was the attorney for the widow.

Real Estate Case. Case No. 47 was the next case taken up. This is an action brought by Abraham Besdesky of Accord, against William Hiram Rose, also of Accord.

The suit was brought to recover \$75 which the plaintiff alleges the defendant owes him as a result of a contract between the defendant and plaintiff relative to some real estate negotiations.

The jury brought in a verdict for \$64 in favor of the plaintiff. Besdesky testified that he was a "combined farmer and real estate broker," and that in December of last year he arranged to sell a farm owned by the defendant, and that the defendant agreed to give him (Besdesky) 5 per cent commission on the sale if it went through, or if a deposit was made on the property and the sale did not go through (thus losing the prospective purchasers) he would give Besdesky one half of the deposit.

A deposit of \$150 was made by the prospective purchasers of the property in question, and \$6,500 was agreed upon as the selling price. For some reason the sale did not materialize and the \$150 that was deposited was forfeited. Rose got the \$150, Besdesky got nothing—hence the suit.

The Defendant's Version. The defendant admitted that he agreed to give Besdesky 5 per cent commission if the sale went through. Defendant denied that he agreed to give Besdesky one half of the deposit money in case the sale did not materialize.

Plaintiff Was Some Talker. Besdesky when he was on the witness stand broke all known speed records for talking and for a while it sounded as if a "bargain sale" was being held in the court room.

The court, the respective attorneys, and the court stenographer had a hard task to understand Besdesky, who was told several times, "Wait a minute, there is no hurry, take your time."

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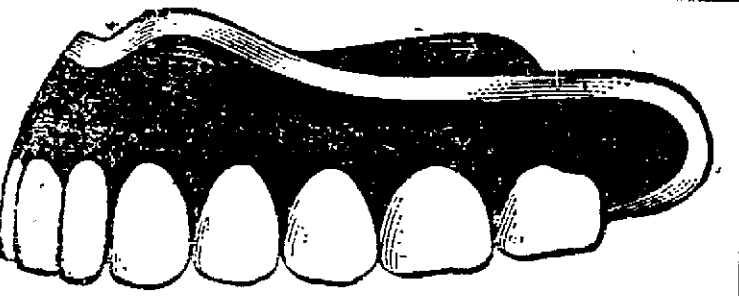
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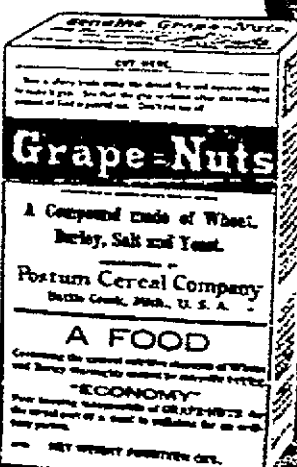
Chance for a Genius. Inventor: "Do you want to buy my newly patented bullet-proof vest?" Financier: "No; but I'd be interested in a soup-proof vest."—Pack.

Hand Plow Built From Bicycle. A farmer in California had no hand plow, so he proceeded to improvise one, says the Popular Science Monthly. The body of the plow he made from an old bicycle frame. The bicycle handle-bar was taken off, turned backward and set solidly in the frame. The wheel was taken from a large gate valve. The plowshare is attached to the frame by a U-bolt.

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SPECIAL DAYS FOR
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Appellate Division Fixes Four Days
For Naturalizing Aliens During
1918—Other Dates For Terms of
Court

Naturalization of aliens during the
year 1918 will not take place on the
opening day of the trial terms of the
supreme court, but instead special
naturalization days have been fixed
by the appellate division of the su-
preme court, in the annual schedule
of terms of court which has been an-
nounced.

Naturalization days in Ulster coun-
ty during 1918 will be held as fol-
lows:

First Tuesday of February.
Fourth Tuesday of March.
First Tuesday of June.
Fourth Tuesday of September.

The four special terms for natu-
ralization of aliens will be held by
Judge Hasbrouck.

Trial and Special Terms Unchanged.

Trial terms of the supreme court will
be held during 1918 the same as
during 1917, as follows:

First Monday of March, Judge
Rudd.

First Monday of May, Judge How-
ard.

Second Monday of October, Judge
Hasbrouck.

First Monday of December, Judge
Nichols.

Special terms will be held at the
court house in this city by Judge Has-
brouck on the first Saturday of every
month except July and August.

Terms of Appellate Division.

The appellate division of the su-
preme court will hold its terms dur-
ing 1918 as follows:

Second Tuesday of January instead
of first Tuesday, as formerly, at Al-
bany.

First Tuesday of March, at Albany.

First Tuesday of May, at Albany.

Second Tuesday of September, at
Saratoga Springs.

Second Tuesday of November, at
Albany.

Must Pasteurize Milk.

The Poughkeepsie board of health
has adopted a new ordinance regard-
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FOR SALE—Two year old graded bull.
John DeWitt, Cortlandt, N. Y.

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Garage, 331 Broadway.

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chain ferry.

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oravenport, plain in design. Write,
listing particulars and lowest cash price.
Box 302, Kingston.

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Paid spot cash for old pairs of dolls.
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St. Ring two bells.

POSITION WANTED.

WOMAN wants kitchen work hotel or
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way.

DAYLIGHT ROBBERIES
GET \$10,000

By Telegraph to The Freeman.
Chicago, Dec. 5.—Chicago's long
list of daring bank robberies was
topped today by the daylight hold-up
and robbery of the Stockman's Trust
and Savings Bank, on South Halstead
street, by five young men who didn't
even trouble to wear masks.

They got \$10,000, according to the
story of bank officials who were
crowded into a rear room, and they
were very cool and deliberate about
it. P. J. Harmon, president of the
bank, and E. J. Alex Gold cashier,
were two of the employees who were
asked, politely but at the point of ra-
volvers, to step into the back room
while the five young men worked.

Each man had two guns, Har-
mon said. "Two of the men were
pretty tough and used exciting lan-
guage."

The leader of the bandits cautioned
the others to "take it easy."

Two policemen saw the robbers
speeding away from the bank after
they had passed through the crowds
on the sidewalk but neither obtained
the license number of the automobile.

First Monday of March, Judge
Rudd.

First Monday of May, Judge How-
ard.

Second Monday of October, Judge
Hasbrouck.

First Monday of December, Judge
Nichols.

Special terms will be held at the
court house in this city by Judge Has-
brouck on the first Saturday of every
month except July and August.

Terms of Appellate Division.

The appellate division of the su-
preme court will hold its terms dur-
ing 1918 as follows:

Second Tuesday of January instead
of first Tuesday, as formerly, at Al-
bany.

First Tuesday of March, at Albany.

First Tuesday of May, at Albany.

Second Tuesday of September, at
Saratoga Springs.

Second Tuesday of November, at
Albany.

Must Pasteurize Milk.

The Poughkeepsie board of health
has adopted a new ordinance regard-
ing the sale of pasteurized milk in
Poughkeepsie. The law which goes
into effect April 1, 1918, eliminates
entirely the sale of all raw milk ex-
cept Grade A or certified milk.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

LOST.

LOST—Diamond and platinum pendant
earrings. Reward. Mrs. John N. Corda,
Lindsey Ave. No questions asked.

LOST—White rosary beads, between St.
Nicholas Church and Wilbur. Finder call
828-R.

LOST—Friday night, Maltese kitten
Please notify 293 West O'Reilly St.

LOST—In Orpheum Theatre, or on Broad-
way, earnings. Reward. O'Reilly's news
store.

LOST OR STOLEN—Bank book No. 33,
5th of the Rondout Savings Bank; pay-
ment stopped. If found return to bank.
20 Ferry St. All persons are cautioned
not to purchase or negotiate same.

FOUND.

FOUND—On Broadway, Monday, light
sum of money. Owner may have same
by identifying property and paying for
this advertisement.

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WAR ADDRESS BY
BISHOP WILSON

Tuesday evening Bishop Luther
Wilson, resident bishop of the Meth-
odist Episcopal Church, delivered a
stunning address on the war to a
large audience in the Trinity M. E.
Church. Bishop Wilson has only
recently returned from the battle-
field of Europe and spoke of what
he had seen in a most interesting and
graphic manner. When General
Forsyth was asked by Bishop Wil-
son what message he should bring
back to America the general re-
plied "It is treason to say Germany
cannot be beaten. Germany can be
beaten. Germany must be beaten and
Germany will be beaten." Bishop
Wilson's address was one of the most
interesting and instructive addresses
ever heard in this city.

By Telegraph to The Freeman.

Copenhagen, Dec. 5.—Certain
units of Russian troops on parts of
the front where fighting has ceased
are being disbanded, according to in-
formation from Petrograd today.

A preliminary armistice has al-
ready been effected by the Russo-
German delegates gathered at the
headquarters of Prince Leopold of
Bavaria, but the negotiations are still
under way.

Germany is bringing all possible
influence to bear upon the Bolshe-
viki to hasten peace negotiations. It
is understood that promises of finan-
cial aid have been made to the gov-
ernment headed by Lenin and
Trotzky.

Scouts Were Some Hikers.

From Red Hook to Rhinebeck and
return, a distance of six miles each
way, was made the other day in two
and one-half hours by Red Hook Boy
Scouts.

BUSINESS NOTICES

XMAS BOX PAPER.

Fine assortment of different styles
and colors. Corresponding cards
and fancy boxes from ten cents to
\$3. See our window, O'Reilly's, 530
Broadway.

MORE CHRISTMAS
PACKETS NEEDED

Notice has just come to the Ulster
County Chapter of the Red Cross that
the full quota of Christmas packets
for our soldiers and sailors is not
yet completed throughout the coun-
try, some chapters having, for good
reasons, presumably, failed to make
their full number. The packets for
our men on the other side have al-
ready been sent and will be ready for dis-
tribution on Christmas day. But
there must be a great many more
made in order to have enough for
every man in cantonments, etc.,
here. The local chapter has some
supplies on hand for making, what
they have been asked for in addition
to those already made—and by the
way some of the auxiliaries have not
completed their quota—and as these
additional packets are asked to be
ready for shipment this week, it has
been thought best to ask for contri-
butions of money, that the various
articles may be purchased in bulk at
a money and time saving. There-
fore, all persons willing to aid in
this

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, 1917.

Sun rises, 7:02; sets, 4:32.
Weather, fair.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman thermometer last night was 30 degrees. The highest point reached up until noon today was 44 degrees.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Fair tonight and Thursday; colder tonight in north and west portions.

Getting Some Place.

"Selfishness don't get you nowhere," said Uncle Eben. "De man dat makes de most of his opportunities is de man dat makes de most opportunities for other folks."

A Most Excellent Christmas Gift.

Every person who receives a Christmas gift of the SEMI-WEEKLY FREEMAN and JOURNAL will be reminded of Christmas and the giver and pleasantly entertained 104 times during the year. Could you do better with \$1.50, the price for one year, seventy-five cents for six months, (fifty-two copies). Upon request by phone or mail we will call for subscription, or send direct to The FREEMAN PUBLISHING CO., 3-9 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y.

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BUSINESS NOTICES.

Table glassware for the holidays. Optic, etched and plain.
GREGORY & CO.

If you are to give a present of cigars and confectionery, call at ISEMAN'S, 3 1/2 Main street, opposite the Kirkland.

SEND FLOWERS.

Always the choicest gift. Valentin Burgevin, Inc., Fair and Main streets.

\$1.00 shirts, 56c; \$1.50 shirts, 79c. Factory seconds.
McTAGUE, 48 Broadway.

Clyde Van Steenburgh's dancing class, Pythian Hall, Kingston, Thursday evenings. Private lessons, 6:30 to 7:30; class lessons, 7:30 to 9; assembly, 9 to 12. Miller's orchestra will furnish music.

DIARIES FOR 1918.

Large assortment counting house and office diaries, calendar pads, desk sets.
O'REILLY'S 530 Broadway.

Hair dressing, shampoo, scalp and facial massage, millinery. Smart Shop, 625 Broadway.

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For the boys at the front or the camps. Real live stories to suit all tastes. We have them. 700 titles to pick from. New stock.
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Opening Books; Systems Installed; Financial Reports; Income Tax Returns a specialty; Auditing; Consultations. W. F. DAVIS, 45 Crown street.

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42nd St. & Park Ave (opposite
Coca-Cola Bottling Co.)
80th St. & Broadway (S. W. Cor.)
42nd St. & 6th Ave. (S. W. Cor.)

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Frank J. McCaffrey... 103 Down St.
Arthur Connelly..... 288 Wall St.
Dr. Bonczariz..... 338 Broadway
Jacob Forst..... Abell St.
Gregory & Co..... 661 Broadway
A. R. Pardee..... 6 Broadway

And others who ask not to have their names published.

BETTER ORDER NOW "YOUR WASCO" before you have a bursted cylinder or radiator as many have already had.

Just call or phone

**Brown Auto
Supply Co.**

PHONE 1065 244 Clinton Ave.

SUPERVISORS HAVE BUSY SESSION

Committees Report on Various Matters, Including Bank Tax, Rights of Way and Amounts Necessary for Highway Maintenance.

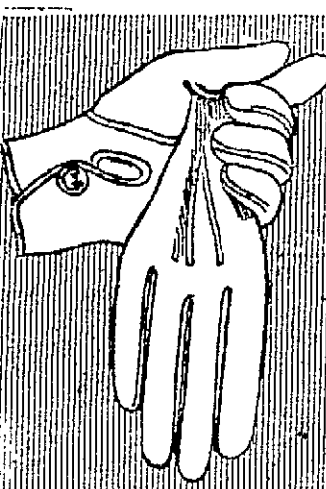
The assessed valuation of Ulster county real estate personal property and special franchises as shown by the various tax rolls was reported to the board of supervisors at Tuesday night's session by the committee on form and footing of assessment rolls.

The total of the values as reported is as follows:

Value of real estate of towns, outside of villages \$14,393,524



WASHABLE CAPE
Men and Women
\$2.00



WARREN'S

260 FAIR ST. OPEN EVENINGS

Value of real estate in villages and city 18,071,501
Value of special franchises in towns outside of villages 583,298
Value of special franchises in villages and city 1,075,548
Total value, real and special franchises \$24,622,347
Value of personal property 333,695
Exempt, pension 67,300

Value of real, personal and special franchises, \$34,957,566
The report was adopted, on motion of Supervisor Fratscher.

Tax Paid by National Banks.

The committee on county treasurer and scaler reported the amount of tax on stocks of national banks within the county, together with the value per share of the stock of such banks, as follows:

Bank	Value per share	Tax
First National Bank of Rondout	\$260 51	\$5,210 34
Rondout National Bank	215 88	2,158 82
Kingston National Bank	115 05	2,301 15
National Ulster County Bank	127 14	2,542 95
State of New York National Bank	169 98	2,549 72
Home National Bank of Ellenville	297 26	1,436 31
First National Bank of Ellenville	194 84	974 21
Kerhonkson National Bank	100 00	250 00
First National Bank of Saugerties	132 14	2,642 88
Saugerties Bank	107 85	1,343 13
Huguenot National Bank of New Paltz	223 49	2,234 94
First National Bank of Highland	398 83	974 57
First National Bank of Marlborough	250 17	439 59
Walkkill National Bank	250 14	352 97

Total tax \$11,000

The report was placed on file.

Amounts Paid for Rights of Way.

The committee on purchase of rights of way for state and county highways reported that rights of way had been procured by the committee for the following highways on payment of the sums stated to the owners:

Road No. 572, New Paltz-Plattekill—Emily Coc, \$80.
Road No. 1,465, Ulster Landing-Glasco—Washburn Brothers Company, \$100; John W. Cassell, \$200.
Road No. 1,417, Walkkill-Newburgh, Part 1—John W. Eckert, attorney for Andrew Byczek, \$75.
Road No. 5,570, West Hurley-Woodstock—Amelia and Edgar Russell, \$325; Fordyce W. Herrick, \$50.
Deeds for these properties have been filed in the county clerk's office, and the committee recommended that \$500 be raised on the county to pay for such rights of way. The report was filed.

County Clerk and Surrogate Bills.

The committee on county clerk

and surrogate accounts reported the total amount claimed in bills presented was \$1,179.62 and the total amount allowed was \$1,142.49. The committee recommended that the bills of all county offices for telephone company so that toll charges can be checked up by the county officers, and that such telephone bills be paid monthly by the county auditors. The report was filed.

Maintenance Charges For Highways.

The committee on town and county accounts reported, having examined the amounts certified by the state highway commission as necessary to be raised for maintenance of state and county highways, and that the same were correct. The committee therefore recommended that such amounts be raised on the various towns as follows:

Esopus	\$800
Gardiner	300
Hurley	200
Kingston	50
Lloyd	600
Marbletown	400
Marlborough	350
New Paltz	300
Oliver	160
Plattekill	350
Rochester	650
Rosendale	350
Saugerties	750
Shandaken	850
Ulster	850
Wawarsing	350
Woodstock	250

Total \$7,550

The report went over under the rule.

Report of Sheriff Shultis.

Sheriff Shultis submitted his annual report of moneys received for services, showing receipts of \$150 from the state comptroller for transportation of prisoners to Dannemora prison, which he had paid over to the county treasurer. The report was referred to the committee on sheriff's accounts.

Town Expenditures for Highway Purposes.

The committee on town and county accounts reported the amounts recommended by town boards as being necessary for maintenance of roads, road machinery, snow removal, etc., which amounts, in tabulated form, were published when so reported by the town boards last week.

The amount stated in this table as published for the town of Hurley was \$100 for maintenance; it should have read "\$1,600."

The report also included a recommendation to raise in addition to the amounts stated the amount of \$225 principal and \$6.25 interest, certified by the town board of the town of Woodstock as having been expended for extraordinary repair of bridges. The report went over under the rule.

New Resolutions.

The following resolutions were introduced and went over under the rule:

By Supervisor Lyons, that \$836 be raised on the town of Gardiner to pay highway bond and interest.

By Supervisor Stephan, to adopt the report of the committee on county clerk and surrogate accounts and to raise \$1,142.49 on the county in payment of bills audited.

By Supervisor Hartshorn, to adopt the report of the committee on pur-

chase of right of way for state and county highways and to raise \$800 on the county to pay for same.

Resolutions Called Up.

The following resolutions heretofore introduced were called up and adopted:

By Supervisor McElhone, to levy a tax at the 1916 rate on properties in the town of Shawangunk omitted from the 1916 tax roll.

By Supervisor Coons, to levy a tax at the 1916 rate on properties in the town of Shawangunk omitted from the 1916 tax roll.

By Supervisor Saxe, to levy a tax at the 1916 rate on properties in the town of Hurley omitted from the 1916 tax roll.

By Supervisor Fratscher, to raise \$2,000 on the town of Saugerties to be paid to the Consolidated Board of Health for health purposes.

On motion of Supervisor Saxe the board adjourned until 7:30 o'clock this evening.

New York Produce Market.

Wheat—Quiet.
Corn—Unsettled. Kiln dried yellow, 189.

Oats—Strong. Fancy white, 83¢; 85¢; ordinary clipped, 81¢@82¢.

Rye—Firm. No. 2 western, 190 c. i. f. New York; state, 193 c. o. b. New York.

Barley—Firm. Maltling, 120¢@145 c. i. f. Buffalo; feeding, 105¢@111 c. i. f. Buffalo.

Hay—Easy. No. 1, 150¢@155¢; No. 3, 120¢@130¢; clover mixed, 110¢@140¢.

Straw—Steady. No. 1 straight rye, 85¢.

Flour—Unchanged. Spring patents, \$10.85@11.55; straights, \$10.60@11.30; clears, \$10.50@10.75; winter patents, \$10.75@11.00; straights, \$10.45@10.75; clears, \$10.25@10.45.

Potatoes—Firm. White, nearby, \$2.00@2.40; southern, \$2.00@2.40; Jersey sweets, \$1.00@1.40.

Dressed Poultry—Dull. Chickens, 21¢@40¢; fowls, 17¢@27¢; turkeys, 23¢@34¢; ducks, 21¢@23¢; geese, 20¢@24¢.

Live Poultry—Irrregular demand. Chickens 20¢@22¢; fowls, 18¢@24¢; turkeys, 25¢; roasters, 18¢@17¢; ducks, 24¢@25¢; geese, springs, 21¢@23¢.

Butter—Firm. Held and fresh. Creamery extra, 43¢@50¢; creamery firsts, 42¢@49¢; higher scoring, 44¢@51¢; state dairy, tubs, 36¢@47¢; process extra, 41¢@42¢.

Eggs—Firm. Nearby white, fancy, 70¢@72¢; nearby brown, fancy, 60¢@63¢; extras, 59¢@60¢; firsts, 54¢@56¢.

Milk—The nominal wholesale price is 7¢@7 1/2¢ a quart delivered in New York.

Firemen Rescue a Kitten.

Davy Crockett Hook and Ladder Company of Poughkeepsie was called out the other day to rescue a little kitten treed near the top of a tall maple tree. The aerial ladder was raised and one of the firemen brought kitty down. Pussy seemed to appreciate the kindness of her rescuers.

HIGH SCHOOL NEWS NOTES

At a mass meeting of the boys of the high school Tuesday afternoon Professor Michael and Principal Lewis informed the boys of, and read to them the law that compels them to take not more than three hours of military training per week. They have a choice as to whether they will prefer it one hour and a half a night for two nights per week or one hour each for three nights. It is thought that they will probably prefer the latter. They will be trained by Sergeant Mullen, who has been hired by the state for that purpose. Despite the fact that the law requires and compels all boys between these two ages, 16 and 19, to take the training, they are compelled to fill out and sign the following blank:

Military Training Commission
State of New York.

School of Application.

Application is hereby made for service in the

Corps of Cadets

In conformity with Chap. 566, Laws of 1916, as amended by Chap. 49, Laws of 1917.

I agree to be governed by and to conform to the prescribed rules and regulations; to attend all ordered drills and to perform the required duties to the best of my ability.

Signature of applicant in full.
Street and number

Town or City

County

Identified by

Do not fill in below this line.

Accepted 19.....

Zone

Required Information.

Present year in H. S.

Or College

Name of School

Location of School

Parent or Guardian

Address

Cadet born in

Town or City

State or Country

Date of birth

Military service if any, or as a cadet or military school

Age years

Color of eyes months

Color of hair

Complexion

When vaccinated

When inoculated for typhoid prevention

Height

Weight

Chest

Waist

Estimate of physical fitness

ALIENS TO APPLY FOR CITIZENSHIP

As there were no cases ready for trial in the supreme court this morning court was adjourned until 9:30 o'clock Thursday morning at which time naturalizations proceedings will be held. A representative from the department of labor will be present and examine the petitioners.

In the case of Mrs. Anna Lelshing of Port Ewen against C. H. Van Buren and Company, stock brokers of New York city, a suit to recover for alleged conversion of a certificate of stock, the respective attorneys in the case will submit a memorandum within ten days after which the court will direct a verdict for one side or the other.

This action is one of several that have been brought by persons living in Kingston and vicinity who lost quite some money through the stock transactions of Charles D. Kline, who conducted a brokerage office on Fair street here and was the correspondent of the Van Buren Company.

Gardening Indoors.

A small funnel inserted in a fern ball facilitates a continuous supply of water and does away with the necessity of taking the ball down for submersion. It is easy to find out how much water will be absorbed without dripping, and there is never a lack of the necessary water to make the ball come to a fine mature growth.

Donald's Idea.

Having been taken through the steamer on an ocean voyage, and knowing there were several "classes" on a ship, Donald, in his first conversation with the new English cook, asked, "Did you come over storage?"

Fat in Nuts.
The fattest form of food is nuts; almonds contain more than half their weight in easily digestible fat.

DANGER!

STOP, LOOK AND LISTEN!

This is the season of high price of coal. Do you want to save 20 per cent? If so, have Harry Netburn install a D. & T. on your hot water heating system, and do away with unsightly expansion tank and have perfect damper regulations. Make bad jobs good and good jobs better.

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You must buy CHRISTMAS presents. You must buy clothing. There is no time like the present for each, and in no assemblage of values in women's wear will you find like these in your buying area. If you are not prepared to take advantage of these remarkable values just now, we will be glad to have you make your selection and we will hold your purchase until you get your CHRISTMAS club check.

Fine Bargains, Great Values, Wonderful Opportunities
Here for every woman of Kingston and surrounding country to secure
FURS, COATS, SUITS, SKIRTS or WAISTS FOR XMAS

WINTER COATS		SUITS	
What more appropriate gift for Christmas than a Coat?		275 Suits, consisting of serges, gabardines and poplins. Colors brown, blue, taupe and green. Regular price \$25.00, \$30.00. Your choice	
\$28.00 Printzess Coat	\$19.75		
\$20.00 Coat	\$13.75		
PLUSH COATS	\$30 Coat \$20	\$10.75, \$14.75	
FINE FURS		DRESSES	
Raccoon, Hudson Seal, Lynx, Black and Taupe Foxes, Georgettes and French Coney Muffs, from	\$5 to \$59.50	500 of them on sale this week, from	
Taupe Sets in Foxes and Wolves, from	\$25.00 to \$97.50	\$6.98 to \$35.00	
Fur Coats in Hudson Seal, Muskrats, Marmots and Baby Lamb, from	\$50 to \$475	WAISTS	
		Georgettes, satins, crepe de chins, lingerie, etc.	
		Priced from \$1.00 up to \$15.00	



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